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FISHER—In loving and grateful remembrance of Second Lieutenant Hubert Patrick Fisher, K.S.L.I., killed in action at the battle of the Somme on 8th July, 1916. Deeply mourned by those to whom he was dear.

BIRTHS.

ANDERSON—June 30, 1925, at 129 Wigmore street, London, W., the wife of Captain Charles Bevan Carew Anderson, Royal Army Medical Corps, of a son.

GRIFFIN—May 19, 1925, at Goomalling, Western Australia, the wife of W. A. Griffin (late of Rathfinglass, County Wicklow), of a daughter (Maureen Elva).

QUINLAN—July 2, 1925, at 89 Lower Baggot street, to Mr. and Mrs W. F. Quinlin, Chunaisour, Traire, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

FOLEY and SOLGER—June 25, 1925, at University College Church, Dublin, with Nuptial Mass, by the Right Rev. Dr. Foley, Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin (uncle of the bridegroom), William P. Foley, M.B., son of Mr. and Mrs. Foley, Old Leighlin House, Leighlinbridge, County Carlow, to Mary Frances, only daughter of the late John Bolger and Mrs Bolger, Scoby House, Enniscorthy.

MURPHY and RAFTERY—June 17, 1925, at the Parish Church, Kilkulla, with Nuptial Mass, by the Rev. J. Harvey, P.P. (uncle of the bride), assisted by the Rev. T. Murphy, C.C., Loughrea, James F., youngest son of Patrick Murphy and the late Mrs. Murphy, Crosse, Kilconnell, County Galway, to Nancy T., elder daughter of Patrick Raftery and the late Mrs. Raftery, Monaveen, Woodlawn.

NEALE and BURRELL—June 30, 1925, at Whitechurch, New Ross, by the Rev. Gordon S. Greer, Lecson, son of the late Lesson and Mrs. Neale, of Creivgard, Queen's County, to Maria (Cissie), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Burrell, Buane, New Ross.

WILSON and GREENE—June 23, 1925, at Cathedral, Roscarbery, Hewitt Wilson, Esq., Derry, Roscarbery, to Annie Grace Greene, Roscarbery.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

CLAYTON—At l'Hotel de la Poste, St. Jean de Luz, France, Edward Miles Clayton, C.B., late Assistant Inspector-General, Royal Irish Constabulary, aged 62.

FERRALL—June 28, 1925, suddenly, at Loughan House, Kenagh, County Longford, John Curry Ferrall, in his 80th year. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family and a large circle of relatives and friends.

McCONNELL—July 7, 1925, at his residence, Ballytrain, Castleblayney, John F. McConnell, Merchant, aged 30. R.I.P. Funeral (to-morrow (Thursday) to local cemetery at 3 o'clock (summer time). New York and Denmark papers please copy.

MILLER—July 6, 1925, at his residence, 94 Elford terrace, South Circular road, Thomas Miller, aged 66 years. Funeral private.

SIMMONS—July 7, 1925, at 51 Albert road, Glenageary, George Valentine Simmons, aged 78 years, late G.S. and W. Railway Funeral to Dean's Grange on Friday at 2 p.m.

STANLEY—July 3, 1925, at the City Hospital, West Heath, Birmingham, Lilian May (Billie), dearly-loved wife of Edward J. Stanley, 258 Hunters road, Handsworth, Birmingham, and of Shinrone, Offaly, Ireland, aged 31 years. "Asleep."

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The family of the late **John Lewis**, "Syringa," Park avenue, wish to thank their many friends who sent messages of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement, trusting they will accept this grateful acknowledgement.

Mrs. MacDuff Simpson, Homestead, Delgany, thanks the many kind friends who sent messages of sympathy in her loss and sorrow.

IN MEMORIAM.

ARMSTRONG—In sad and loving memory of William Armstrong, who died July 8th, 1924, at his residence, Rockmount, Drumahair, County Leitrim. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord." Rev. xiv. 13. Inserted by his sorrowing wife and family.

DOOLEY—Third Anniversary—In fond remembrance of our darling Mollie, who died July 8th, 1922, at 594 North Circular road, Dublin. Sweet Jesus, have mercy on her soul.
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FARRELL—In fond and loving memory of our darling Edith Blanche (Higg), died 8th July, 1924. "Some day, some time, we'll understand."

KENNEDY—In loving memory of our dear son, Sergeant John Kennedy, National Army, who died July 8th, 1922, of wounds received in action. Masses offered up to-day. Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for him. Sadly missed by his father, mother, wife, brothers, and sisters. "Memory is the only friend that grief can call its own."

KENNEDY—With loving remembrance of my dear brother, Sergeant John Kennedy, who died of wounds July 8th, 1922. Sadly missed by his sister, Sheila.
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LEWIS—In memory of Henry Lewis, who died July 8, 1923. Inserted by his wife and children.

LOWE—In loving remembrance of my dear father, William Lowe, Trim, who fell asleep July 8th, 1924. Sadly missed. "Until the day break and the shadows flee away."—Daisy.

SHEIL—In loving memory of Will H. Sheil, late Elmwood, died 8th July, 1923. "Till the day dawn."—Olive, Williamstown, U.S.A.

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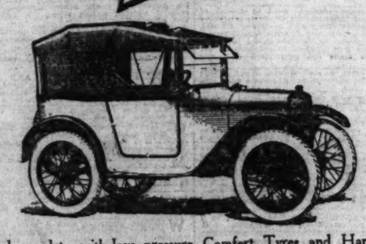
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LOCUM Wanted, qualified Chemist, to take charge of country business, 3 weeks in August; state particulars. Address "Z 1336, Chemist," this office. 5 D

MALE Nurse Attendant—Thoroughly trained Male Nurse desires employment with invalid gentleman; experienced in nervous cases and willing to make himself generally useful; can drive motor; ex-R.A.M.C. Address "Z 1354, Nurse," this office. 5 D

MALE Nurse Masseur free for immediate engagement; highest references supplied.—Address medical Apply R 657, this office. 5 E

NURSE Attendant, Protestant, disengaged; outdoor work; good character; otherwise; attend patient morning and evening—Miss Wilson, 17 Chester road, Rathmines.

NURSE Attendant, would care invalid lady or gentleman; gentleman preferred.—R 784, this office. 7 C

PROBATIONER Wanted for private mental home, Dublin. Reply, with age, height, and copies of papers, to "Z 1352, Probationer," this office. 6 C

PHARMACEUTICAL Assistant Wanted; state salary, references, etc.—W. Cannon, Chemist, Kerry Borough.

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SHORTHAND Typist and Bookkeeper requires position; excellent references.—R 774, this office. 7 C

YOUNG Lady, Protestant, having thorough knowledge of bookkeeping, also housework, wishes change; good references. Address "Z 1318, Bookkeeper," this office. 4 C

YOUNG Lady seeks position as Secretary or Companion-Secretary; good knowledge of shorthand and typing; highest references given. Address "Z 1345, Secretary," this office. 5 D

YOUTH (18), highly educated, desires post as Junior Clerk; first class certificates book-keeping, shorthand, typewriting. Interview, Lonergan's, Pork Butc, N. C. road. 5 C

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HALL Boy Wanted, with some experience. Apply Steward, Sutton Golf Club, Sutton, Co. Dublin.

HOUSEMAN and General Farm Hand; must understand all farm machinery; send full particulars, wages required, with bonus, given of ever. Protestant. Address "Z 1329, Plopshums," this office. 4 D

MALE SERVANTS CONTINUED.

RABBITS, etc., must be cleared on large Scientific and liberal terms on commission to reliable man; giving proper security. Address McKeever, Dromanstan Castle, Navan.

WANTED, middle-aged man for Yard, able to milk, and cook; must be trained generally useful; Protestant preferred, for Co. Sligo. Address "Z 1374, Man," this office. 5 C

WANTED General Indoor Man Servant, Butler (Protestant); strictly sober; highly recommended. Apply by letter first, to "Z 1345, Man," this office. 2 C

WANTED, Footman (under a butler); must be good valet; well recommended; country; full particulars.—Mrs. More O'Ferrall, Kildangan, Monasterevan, Co. Kildare. 7 A

WANTED, experienced Butler, single-handed; Protestant.—Blackrock, 41 Lower Mount street.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

GARDENER General Wanted to take charge of premises, Co. Dublin; state wages. Address "Z 1307, Gardener," this office. 3 C

WANTED immediately, near Kingstown, trustworthy Gardener, R.C., no children; vegetables, flowers, grass; help provided; nice house, vegetables, milk; two sons out; copies recent testimonials and wages expected.—R 615, this office. 6 F

WANTED, smart Boy, improver, for gardens, under glass and outdoor; bothy, etc.—Bewley, Donnybrook, Rathfarnham.

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

A RESPECTABLE Farmer's Son seeks situation as gardener; plain gardener, good milker; or would take charge of out farm; Protestant, married, no child. Address "Z 1415, Man," this office.

BUTLER Valet disengaged, single, R.C.; thoroughly experienced man.—R 539, this office. 6 E

BUTLER, Valet Chauffeur, good recommended, married, R.C.; Wife help in house, poultry, or mind gate lodge. Address "Z 1392, Valet," this office.

EXPERIENCED General Man disengaged; also Chauffeur; excellent refs.—Blackwood's, 41 Lr. Mount st.

GENERAL Man Servant (LC.), do plain cooking, all house work, do garden or motor; good references.—R 479, this office. 5 D

GENERAL Man (45), married, no family, can do all house work, do garden or motor.—Brodrick, Chatham street (Grafton street).

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DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

WANTED, couple days or morning work; good papers.—R 0 377, Irish Times Branch Office, Bathmines.

YOUNG Woman seeks Daily or Weekly Work, good references.—R 417, this office. 3 C

YOUNG Girl to be trained some experience.—F. Treasy, c/o F. Jameson, Rathkeale.

YOUNG Woman wishes to hear of Office Cleaning, or a few hours' morning work; highly recommended.—R 702, this office. 5 C

SERVANTS' REGISTRY.

HOURS: { 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. for Servants. 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. for Ladies.
Saturday.
31 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS DISENGAGED.

COOK General—Daily work required; can be well recommended.—R 673, this office. 6 E

COOK General disengaged; good cook; good papers; £26 wages £50; little washing.—Sharpe Registry, Blackrock.

EXPERIENCED Cook wants situation in gentleman's house. Apply to S. Scott, Tomanlieg, Forns, Co. Wexford

GOOD Cook, understands dairy, gentleman's family, country, excellent references.—R 556, this office.

LADY highly recommends good Cook General; small family or married; no housemaid; country, suburbs—3 Claremont avenue, Clarlemont street.

WEXFORD (R.C.) Girl seeks situation as Cook General with a nice Protestant family; well recommended; wages from £30 to £35. Address "Z 1414, Girl," this office.

YOUNG Cook General, good plain cook, go sea side, highly recommended.—R 721, this office.

GENERALS DISENGAGED.

A NUMBER Generals, £30 to £30; Cook Generals, £26 to £28.—Mrs. Reynolds' Registry, 2 Lr. Leeson st.

GENERAL, young country girl disengaged, willing, obliging, town worker; two years last situation.—L. L. 6/6 6 Meeting street, Athy, Co. Kildare.

GENERAL seeks place in city or suburbs, good references.—R 715, this office.

GENERAL seeks place, Rathmines preferred; good character.—R 717, this office.

GENERAL, daily, business or private, cooking, laundry; good papers.—R 718, this office.

GENERAL (respectable) can be well recommended.—Mr. Milliver House, Kinnage road, Harold's Cross.

LADY recommends experienced young General, Wexford and Rose line. Also Lady Worker.—2 Belgrave square, Monkstown.

TWO Sisters desire situations together, General and Housemaid; highly recommended.—R 587, this office.

YOUNG General, good plain cook, small washing, highly recommended.—R 724, this office.

YOUNG Girl as General, some experience, city well recommended.—R 723, this office.

YOUNG General, good cooking, small washing, suburbs; good papers.—R 730, this office.

YOUNG country Generals want situations, city or suburbs.—Windsor Bureau, 2 Glendevin road.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED Housemaid or House Parlourmaid; highly recommended; permanent or temporary.—648, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

LADY highly recommends young Girl, House Parlourmaid; good references.—Blackwood's, 41 Lower Mount street.

PARLOURMAID, experienced, disengaged; excellent references.—Blackwood's, 41 Lower Mount street.

RESPECTABLE country Girl requires situation, as House and Parlourmaid; 17 years' experience; references. Address "Z 1379, House and Parlourmaid," this office. 7 D

SUPERIOR Girl, R.C., to be trained Housemaid or as House Parlourmaid; family one or two; some experience; good reference.—R 700, this office. 5 C

YOUNG House Parlourmaid, some experience; or Housemaid, highly recommended.—R 712, this office.

NURSES DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED Children's Nurse; can take baby from month; disengaged 18th July.—903, Irish Times Branch Office.

LADY Children's Trained Nurse disengaged; certificate and good references; Protestant; one or two children or baby; Dublin preferred. Address "Z 1371, Lady," this office. 6 C

RESPECTABLE Girl wishes to mind one baby, some city experience, recommended. Dublin preferred.—Nellie Lawler, Butlerstown, Carlow.

RESPECTABLE young country girl would go as Nurse to one or two children; good references. Apply 71 Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

TRAINED Children's Nurse, suburbs or country; good references.—R 715, this office.

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC. DISENGAGED.

LADY can recommend young Girl, R.C., aged 15, to be trained Kitchen or House.—Mrs. Hyde, Lyreburry, Mullingar. 4 D

SPECIFIC ARTICLES.

ARMY Bell Tents on best terms.—Coleman, 26 Chancery street.

BACON Slicing Machines, 1925 Models; cash or on instalments. Particulars free.—Booth Bros., Brogan Stephen street, Dublin.

BREAD and Bacon Slicers for Hotels, etc., cheapest in particulars free.—Booth Bros., Brogan Stephen street, Dublin. 12 X

BARRELS suitable for water, small Inside Trap and Harness, two Mahogany Doors for Sale.—112 Rathmines road.

BLICK Portable Typewriter, perfect, cost 15 gns., £10 or nearest.—R 0 275, Irish Times Branch Office, Dublin.

CONTRACTORS requiring Concrete, Gravel or Sand Crushed, should write to Box 1744, Irish Times Branch Office, Dublin. Send put on lorries 2/-, Gravel 3/- per ton.

DIAMOND Horse Shoe Scarf Pin, 11 pure white stones, cost £20, will accept £8 10/-; sacrifice. T 751, this office.

FOR Sale, large quantity of Champagne and Hock bottles. Apply Bray Head Hotel, Bray. 6 C

FOR Sale, large Saddle Boiler, practically new; price, plate inside, and 4" plate outside; 1 Steel Punch and Cutter, 1 Wrought Cylinder, Copper Clothes Boiler; several Porcelain Wash Basins; Mangle and Washing Machine; Bicycle Stands, and a beautiful old fashioned Mangle, in perfect order.—Apply to the Secretary, Simpson's Hospital, Parnell street. X

ICE Cream Freezers, White Mountain, and all Sundries.—Dairy Engineering Co. of Ireland Ltd., 6 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin.

INVALID Reclining Chair; light-running lazy chair; seats tree, rose wood, brakes; Ward's Bathchair; as good as new; £40, this office.

LADY'S Gold Expanding Bracelet Watch, lever movement, perfect timekeeper, lately small watch; cost £10; sell for £4 10/.—R 258, this office.

MILNER Safe for Sale, 26 x 20 x 20, two drawers and with separate keys, two keys for safe; many more extended uses; £15.—R 715, this office. T 751, this office.

MISLAID a few days ago—2 Diamond and Sapphire 18 carat Gold Dress and Engagement Rings; finder will be 50/-; will take 30/- for same.—R 703, this office.

PEARLE Pearls, Pearls—Beautiful Necklaces, unobtainable elsewhere, at special appearance to the genuine article, as sold at 15/- and 21/-, must be sold at 5/- each; also Pearl Brooches, 5/- each; removed—Woolf, 117 Clonliam road, London, S.W. 9.

PIANOS, Organs, Gramophones, Records, Trade or Sale or Hire, on best terms.—M. Coleman, 25 Chancery street. 26 16

YOUNG Hand Machine, vibrating shuttle, treadle, etc., complete; perfect order; as new; £3 10/-; or nearest offer.—43 Lower Gardiner street.

ZEISS Field Glasses for Sale, 50 mm. object glass cost over £12; perfectly new; bought a month ago.—R 1796, this office.

SPECIFIC ARTICLES WANTED.

ANTIQUE Silver Cups, Candlesticks, Salvers, Sugar Bowls, etc.; also Diamond Ornaments, Precious Stones and Gold, Highest prices given.—Mr. Cooper, 20 Grafton House, Grafton street.

ARTIFICIAL Teeth, old or new, wanted

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DRESS AND COSTUME.

ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Higgins, Lady Assistant (exp.) highest prices Ladies' Gents' Children's Left Off Clothing, Jewellery, Artificial Teeth; country parcels received.

ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Cheek, 63 Aungier street, pays highest prices for Left Off Clothing, Furs; country parcels promptly attended.

ABOUT Clothes—Highest Prices for Artificial Teeth, Ladies' and Gents' Clothing, Furniture; parcels promptly attended. Miss White, 13 Aungier street.

A New Skirt Yesterday Cost Frock, stock thin. Address "Z 1404, Frock," this office.

A Perfect Lounge Coat with kimono sleeves, suit 10 to 12; Rose Pink Dress, worked in thin cloth, Dress 10 to 12; Dress Skirt, 24 to 26 inches long, 10 to 12; Jersey Bodice, suit 10 to 12; Jersey

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN STEADY.

The prevailing trend of prices on 'Change yesterday was favourable, but there was often not enough business passing to emphasise that fact, although dealings could be indulged in for the new account, 25cd inst. Steady, but quiet support was forthcoming for British and Local Funds. Banks were quiet, and the increased distribution by the Munster and Leinster Bank, c.c., 18 per cent. per annum, free of tax, against 20 per cent., less income tax, did not alter the price of the shares, which had recently risen on rumours bearing on the subject, as mentioned at the time in this column. Bank Stock eased on a cash sale. The feature in Breweries was the keen demand for Guinness Ord. Shares at a further advance, but the Pref. eventually turned dull on sales for cash. Distillers and J. Power and Son Pref. weakened further, but Dublin Distillers Pref. were in better demand, though not many shares changed hands at the recovery established. Marconi Ord. were very dull. Home Rails were mostly idle. Great Northern Ord. was lower. Great Southern Ord. did not vary, but the Pref. Ord. issues closed firm. Dublin United Tram Pref. show no recovery. Tobaccos and Coal Stocks were in better request at a slight improvement. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. were also the turn harder. Dunlop Rubber Ord. also finished the turn better.

LONDON MARKET FIRM.

TEAS AND RUBBERS BRIGHT.

A steady to firm tone prevailed in the majority of the sections of the London Stock markets yesterday, despite the fact that the attention was almost entirely directed to the arrangement of the carry-over and that business remained on a small scale. A steady tone was manifest in the gilt-edged market, and the overnight reports, with the exception of a small improvement in Victory Bonds, were repeated. War Loan issues fluctuated within narrow limits, and finished without quotable alteration. Foreign Government stocks were quiet and generally unaltered. French Loans opened in a hesitating fashion, owing to a reaction of the Exchange, but later improved and closed firm at the previous day's level. Peruvian Corporation provided an exception to the general firmness, and showed lower values at the close. Home Rail issues further relapsed, more on account of the fact that there are no fresh buyers than of any great pressure to sell stock, and final quotations were from ¼ to a point lower all round. Holders of Home Rails are none too sanguine that last year's dividend rates will be maintained, and this, coupled with the disquieting labour outlook, tends to depress stocks still further. In the Industrial section there was nothing in the way of business, but prices kept steady. Tea shares were a bright spot, a good demand sending prices higher, while Rubbers also continued on the up-grade. Oil shares were generally steady, but a slightly firmer tendency was manifest in Mining issues, Paris giving support in some directions.

IRISH RAILWAY TRAFFICS.

To-day we publish the aggregate traffics of the Irish railways for the first half of 1925, and the comparisons with the same period of 1924. In the case of our big Amalgamation—the Great Southern Railways—there is a decrease of £322,940, of which £90,157 is from passenger and £232,783 from goods traffic. The same result is shown by the Great Northern aggregate loss, which totals £106,900, divided as to £57,250 from passengers and £69,650 from goods. The Co. Down, on its small traffics, shows an aggregate loss of £20,713; but in this case the sources of the decline are reversed—£15,575 being from passengers and £5,038 from goods. The total loss on these three lines during the six months amounts to the big figure of £450,553, a sum sufficient to pay almost 3½ per cent. on the combined Ord. Stocks of the companies. The loss in six months' working of the Great Southern Railways would almost pay the interest on the whole of the £17,632,862 Pre-Ordinary Stocks. The decline shown by the Great Northern is the lowest—11 per cent., the Great Southern being 13½ per cent. and the Co. Down 14 per cent. It will thus be seen that the traffic decline is almost identical in both Northern and Southern Ireland.

NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.

We are officially informed that an arrangement has been entered into under which the Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., has sold the 44,000 original shares of the Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society to the Norwich Union Life Insurance Society. The two Norwich Union Societies have had close working arrangements for the best part of a century, and an important proportion of their representatives act for both institutions. Their association, in the minds of the public and other business connected, is assisted by the similarity of name and of their city of origin. It will be remembered that the Phœnix Assurance Co. acquired the shares of the Norwich Union Fire Office in 1920, and in the agreement then entered into provision was made for the maintenance of mutually advantageous relations between the two Norwich Union Offices. Although the association of the Phœnix with the Norwich Union Societies has worked most harmoniously, it has been felt for some time that a complete alliance between the two Norwich Union Offices would operate to their common good. To effect this the Norwich Union Life Office has purchased the Norwich Union Fire Office and its free assets from the Phœnix for approximately £147 per share, a going concern, and thus the Norwich Union Life Office will secure full protection of its organisation and connections against any possible disturbance. The transaction materially strengthens the position of the Phœnix from an interest-earning standpoint, and the directors of the Phœnix and of the Norwich Union Life Office are satisfied that the transfer will be of permanent value to their respective institutions.

SCOTTISH WHISKEY TRADE ABSORPTION.

There was a rumour in Edinburgh yesterday that negotiations had been completed for the absorption of the Scottish Malt Distillers, Ltd., by the Distillers Co., Ltd. It is officially stated that the negotiations have not been completed. The following circular, dated Edinburgh, 2nd July, has been issued by the Scottish Malt Distillers, Ltd.:—To the shareholders—I am instructed to inform you that the directors of this company are at present engaged in certain negotiations, which, if carried to a successful termination, would, they consider, be for the benefit of the shareholders. A further intimation will be made as soon as circumstances permit.—Yours faithfully, Alexander Clark, Secretary.

HIBERNIAN BANK.

The half-yearly meeting will be held at the Head Office, College Green, Dublin, on Monday, 27th inst., at one o'clock, to receive the report of the directors and statement of accounts for the half-year ended 30th June, 1925. The transfer books will be closed from the 14th to 27th July, both dates inclusive.

THE "FLOATING" MOMENT.

While it is understood that further new loans are in contemplation, it is believed that their issue is postponed for the time being, writes the *Evening Standard*. That this is the best policy is doubted in some quarters, on the ground that new loans now held over will have to wait until the autumn before they can make their appearance. By then the real test of the return to the gold standard is likely to occur, because of the seasonal monetary requirements, and it is considered that the gilt-edged market might then be subject to uncertainty, which would not be propitious for the flotation of new loans.

COMPANY NOTICES.

THE HIBERNIAN BANK, LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that the next Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Head Office, College Green, Dublin, on MONDAY, the 27th day of July, 1925, at One o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts for the Half-year ended 30th June, 1925.

Notice is also hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be Closed from the 14th July to the 27th July, both days inclusive.

ALFRED T. COLLINS, General Manager.

27 College Green, Dublin, 7th July, 1925.

LONDON MOVEMENTS.

In the Gilt-edged market War Loans were all unaltered, while Consols and Funding Loans were also repeated at overnight figures. Victory Bonds, however, marked a small improvement, the closing rate of 91 being ¼ to the good. Conversion Loans were quiet and without material change, while Treasury Bonds remained at 101⅝. India were quiet and unchanged, but Sudan 5½ p.c. firmed up to 106, or a point to the good.

Among Foreign Government Stocks, French Loans opened rather weaker on a reaction in the franc, but later improved and closed without alteration on the day. Chinese issues were steady, as were Brazilians and Mexicans. Reconstruction Loans, with the exception of Hungarian 7½ p.c., which gained ½ to 96½, were all repeated. Peruvian Corporations were a dull spot, and the Ord. lost ¼, while the Pref. shed ½ to 32.

RAILS SAGGING.

Home Rails continued to sag, and final prices were again distinctly lower. Great Westerns dropped a point to 87, as did Midlands to 79. North-Eastern 5 p.c. pref. Ord. at 60½ and the Defd. Ord. at 22 were ½ and ¼ lower respectively. Metropolitan gave way, and finished a full point easier, while Districts at 46 were below the overnight figure. Among Southerns, the Pref. Ord., the Def. Ord. and the "A" and "B" shares were all ½ down. Undergrounds were well held.

A steady tone ruled in Colonial and Foreign Rails, and final prices were for the most part the same as before. United Havana were a good market, the final quotation being a point better at 95.

OIL SHARES BETTER.

As was indicated by the preliminaries, the position to be arranged at yesterday's carry-over was small, and business in this connection was concluded at quite an early hour. Overnight advices from New York were favourable, higher prices being quoted in that centre for Shells and Royal Dutch, and consequently a steady start was made by the leading counters. Business for the new account was of a quiet character during the early hours, but in the afternoon an all-round improvement occurred, buying orders being received from America, to which the prices of international favourites responded. Certain of the more speculative issues developed a harder tone, and at the close higher prices were general.

TEA SHARES FIRM.

A firm tone characterised dealings in the Tea Share market yesterday, while business continued on a good scale. Price movements were generally in favour of holders. Most of the recognised leaders were quoted at an advance, while a number of the more speculative issues marked higher levels. Amalgamated Estates gained ¼ on the day, and Consolidated Tea and Lands jumped ahead to 32½, or 1¼ to the good. Assam Frontier rose 2s. 10½d., while Ceylon Prop. and Chargola were both 2s. 4½d. higher. Darjeeling Consolidated marked an increase of 2s. 4½d. to 53s. 4½d. Ceylon Plant and British-Indian were 1s. 7½d. and 1s. 3d. higher, respectively. Empire finished at an advance of 2s. 3d., while Jokai rose 2s. 1½d. on the day. Jokai spurted to 93s. 6d., or 3s. 6d. higher, and New Sylhet closed 5s. 4½d. up. Lungla and Tea Share Trust were good spots, the former marking an increase of 1s. 3½d., while the latter put on 2s. 4½d. On the other side, Borelli dropped sharply to 85s., or 2s. 6d. lower. Jetinga Valley fell to 50s. 10½d., or 4s. 4½d. lower, while Halem lost 1s. 1½d., and Travancore eased 1s. to 106s. 3d.

RUBBER SHARES STRONG.

With a further improvement in the price of the raw material to 3s. 7¼d. per lb., Rubber shares were again in good request, and prices further improved. Price changes were numerous, and practically without exception in favour of holders. S.N.B.R. Trust firmed up to 16s. 4½d., or 1s. 7½d. better, while Anglo-Malay, Bah Lias and Anglo-Dutch were 1s. 3d., 1s. 1½d. and 1s. higher respectively. Bukit Rajah jumped to 29s. 6d. or 2s. 9d. higher, while Buntar registered an improvement of 2s. to 28s. 9d. Eastern Trust and Golden Hope were firm spots, and at the close both issues marked advances of 3s. 6d. Kuala Lumpur more than regained their loss of the previous day's, the final level being 2s. 6d. better at 51s. 3d. Langkat Sumatra further improved to 43s. 9d., or 2s. 3d. up, while Linggi were 2s. and Ida 1s. 7½d. higher respectively. Manchester North Borneo gained a further 1s. 6d. to 38s. c.d., and Mendaris put on 1s. 10½d. to 29s. 6d., P. K. Ceylon also finished 1s. 10½d. to the good, while Moopiy Valley closed 1s. 4½d. better. Rubber Trust firmed up to 40s. 6d., or 1s. 6d. higher, while Sapong gained 1s. 9d. on the day. Seafield finished 1s. 3d. higher, and Sendayan Ayer gained 1s. 10½d.; Serdang Central put on 1s. Other improvements of importance were 2s. 6d. in Sungei Buaya, 1s. 9d. in Sungei Krian Pref., 1s. 3d. in Tandjong, 1s. 4½d. in Tandjong Malim, 2s. 9½d. in Telogredjo and 10½d. and 1s. 3d. respectively in United Sua Betong Ord and New shares.

INDUSTRIALS ACTIVE.

Yesterday's carryover in the Miscellaneous and Industrial markets was arranged without difficulty, the usual charge for accommodation being 6-7 p.c. Dealings for new time were on a very small scale. On the renewed strength of the Tea Share markets, Lanes Finlays received attention, and after changing hands at 74s., finished a firm market at 73s. 3d., or the turn harder on balance. Afrikander Proprietary were wanted and strengthened to 28s. 9d., and slight improvements occurred in Brunner Monds to 38s., in Nobel Prefs. to 21s. 6d., and in Raphael Tucks to 1½. Dunlops provided the outstanding feature on the rise in the price of rubber, and after a good business had been put through, they finished 1s. up on balance at 17s. 9d. Little of interest transpired in the Iron group. The Wireless group was steady. Still under the influence of the reduced profits on last year's trading, Sewing Cottons came on offer, and left off 1s. 3d. down on balance at 56s. 3d. Other Textiles held their ground, with Amalgamated Cottons the turn harder at 7s. 10½d. Among Silk shares, Courtaulds suffered from realisation soon after the opening at a decline of 10d. to 104s. 9d., but the report later caused a recovery to 105s. 6d., at which they closed unchanged. Celanese Ord. moved up to 8s., but at the moment the market in these is said to be purely professional. Bank shares showed dullness despite satisfactory dividend announcements. Hong Kong and Shanghai registered a further setback to 134, or 2 lower. Fractional declines took place in Bank of Australias to 13⅛ and in Westminsters to 19½. Insurances held their ground, with United British 6d. up at 28s. 6d. Among Canadian-American securities, Brazil Tractions came into favour and rose 3 to 57¼. Iron, Coal and Steels were neglected, and Shipping securities were featureless. Apart from new Paccbas, which declined to £1, or ⅛ lower, Nitrates did not move. Firmness characterised Tobaccos, where Imperials further improved to 100s. 6d. on dividend anticipations; Canadas put on 6d to 26s., and B.A.T.'s 3d. to 107s. ex div. Exceptionally, Albert Bakers eased to 55s. The feature among Foodstuffs was a demand for Van Den Berghs in anticipation of a favourable meeting, the result being a recovery of 1s. 9d to £1, with business recorded up to 1s. 3d. The Pref'd. also, however, receded to 7s., and the "B" Prefs. fell ⅛ to ⅛ ex div. Maypole Defd hardened to 6s., and Home and Colonials rose ½ to 3½ ex div. and rights. In the Refreshment group Schweppes Defd. found support which took them to 33s., a rise of 6d., but in Caterers A.B.C.'s fell 6d. to 26s. 6d. and Liptons 5 p.c. Prefs 3d. to 14s. 9d. Breweries were a dull market. Allsopp Prefs. fell ⅛ to 90½ ex div., Ashby's, and Hoare Ord. ⅛ to 1½. In recent issues, the strength of Synthetic Debs. provoked a feature, for in response to continued support the price rose to 12 prem., with transactions recorded at over 2 prem.

DUBLIN PRICE CHANGES.

GUINNESS AND IMPERIAL TOBACCOS GOOD. COURTAULDS AND DUNLOPS BETTER. THREAD AND MARCONI SHARES OFFERED.

(Government National 5 p.c. Loan repeated 94.

British Funds were again higher on balance. War Loan 5 p.c. rose ⅛ to 100⅛, and Funding Loan ¼ to 86¾, while Consols repeated 56¼, and India 3½ p.c. for a small lot fell ¼ to 64½.

In Banks, Bank of Ireland Stock fell ½ to 279½, while Munster and Leinsters repeated 74, and Nationals 29⅞.

Among Breweries and Distilleries, Dublin Distillers Pref. rose 1s. to 79s., and Guinness Ord. ½ to 64½; but the Pref., after opening unaltered at 114, fell ⅛ to 113 for cash, while Distillers eased 3d. to 60s. 9d., and J. Power and Son Pref. 6d. to 16s.

Marconi Ord fell 9d. to 27s. 3d. for an odd lot.

In Home Rails, Great Northern Ord. fell ½ to 38¼, but the Debs. rose ½ to 60¼. Great Southern Ord. repeated 22, but the Guaranteed rose ¼ to 46¾, and the Debs. repeated 56. Dublin and Blessington Baronial were unchanged at 65s.

In Trams, Dublin United Pref. repeated 8½ for a small lot.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. rose 3d. to 17s. 1½d., after opening at 16s. 9d., 16s. 10½d., 17s. 1d., 17s. 1½d., 17s. 3d. to 17s. 2½d., while do. 8 p.c. quoted 1⅛. 10½d. x.d. Coats opened 1½d. better at 60s., but later fell to 59s. 9d., while English Sewing Cotton fell a further 2s. 3d. to 53s. 9d. Bradford Dyers were dealt in at 75s. 9d. for a few shares, ex 4s. final dividend.

In Trading, etc., Dockrell Ord. repeated 16s., Dublin Artisans' Dwellings 6½, and Irish Timber Pref. 70s., mostly for odd or exceptional lots.

British Controlled Oilfields Common rose 1s. 3d.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

National Loan.....(94) 94		Dub. Tram Pf..(6) 8½	
Consols .....(56¼) 56¼		Alliance Gas.....(64) 64	
3½ War Loan (100⅛) 100⅛		Belfast Pref.(64) 64	
Funding Loan.(86¼) 86¾		Bradford Dyers....87s9	
India 3½ ...(64½) 64½		Coats.(59/10¼) 60/- 59/9	
Bank Stock (280) 279½		Cottons .....(58/6) 56/3	
Nat. & Lein...(74½) 74½		Courtaulds	
National ....(30½) 30½		(105/1½) 106/6 104/6	
Distillers Co.(61½) 60⅝		Imp. Tob.(99/9) 100/4	
Dublin Distillers Pref		(Sc. 79	
(79½) 79s. 9d.		Lever 7% Pref.	
Guinness....(64½) 64½		(130/14) 130/6	
Do. Pref.(113½) 113½		Do. 5% Pref.	
Power Pref....(116) 116		(19/10½) 19/10½	
Marconi ....(28⅛) 27/3		Duckfoot Ord.	
G.N. Ord.....(38¼) 38¼		(16/-) 16/- 15/-	
Do. Def. ....(60) 60¼		Art. Dwellings.(6½) 6⅞	
G.S. Ord.....(22) 22		Irish Times 5½%	
Do. Guar.....(44) 44¾		(70/-) 70/-	
Do. Deb .....(56) 56		Controlled Oil Com.(15/3	
		Dunlops .16/9; /10½ 17/-	

* Odd lot, ½ bid, a asked, c cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Discount ..... 6 p.c. 5th March, 1925.
Deposit ..... 3½ p.c. 5th March, 1925.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day ..... July 20
General contango day ... July 21
Ticket day ..... July 8 | July 23
Account day ..... July 9 | July 23

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	56-57	4½% Conv. Lo. 34-37	
War Lo. 5½% ..	99-99½	3½ Treas. Bds. 1929-1942	
do. 4½%	99¼-94½	Irish Land 3½%	56-58
do. 5%	100½-100	India 3½	63½-65½
do. 4% (Tax Free		do. 3½% ...	64½-65¾
Exempt)	100	do. 2½% ...	39½-39¾
Funding Lo....	86¾-87⅛	do. 2¾	104-106
Victory Bds.	90½ 91 +¼	Transvaal Loan ...	91½-44)
3½% Conv. Lo.	78½-79	Indian 3½% ...	103-107 +1

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Aust. Can. 5½	98-101	Nigeria 4%	103-112
do. 4½	102½-104	Q'sland 4.1946-54	83-85
Brit. Col. 4½ 1941	85-85	do. 6% 1930-40	101-103
Canada 4	85-87	S. Africa 4½ Cts.	85-87
do. 4½ 1936-8	98-100	do. 4%	82-84
Cape 3½ Loan ...	70-73	S.A. 5½% 1945-50	91-93
Ceylon 4½	103-107	do. 4½%	102-104
N.S.W. 4½ 'Z7	90-93	Victoria 4. 45-50	84-86
do. 5% 1927 ...	99-102	do. 5% 1923-5	97-2
do. do. 5 1930-40	102-104	W.Aus.5% '52-'57	98-100
N. Zealand 4%	94-96	Westminster 18.-1908	101-3

BANKS.

Anglo-S. Amer.	6¾-7¼	Lloyds	43-7-43⅞
Australasia ...	12¾-14	Midland	81½-83½
Bank N.S.W. ..	39½-40	Nat. Dis. ...	35-38
Do. N. Z. ...	37½-37¾	Nat Provid'l	12 12¾
Barclays A ...	84½	Royal of Can	230
do. Overseas	37½-38¼	Scot. Nat. ...	87
Can. of Com.	42¼ 42½	Un. Australia	143¾-147½
Chart'd Ind'a	39½-39¾	Westminster	19-19½
Hong Kong...	13 -13⅝ -2		

FOREIGN BONDS.

99	Argentine 1886	99	100⅜
76	Do. 4 p.c. 1900	90	92
76	Do. 4 p.c. 1909	90	97
43½	Brazil 4 p.c. 1889	43	45
74	Do. 5 p.c. Funding 1908	74	77
75	Do. 5 p.c. 1914	75	77
37⅛	Chinese 5 p.c. 1896 ...	37	39
74	Do. 4½ p.c. 1896 ...	73	73
99	Do. 5 p.c. 1912	99	101
100⅛	Costa-Rica 7 p.c. 1911	101	103
81½	Egyptian Unified	81	83
13½	French Loan	13½	13¾
11¼	Do. 4 p.c.	11¼	12¼
13⅜	German 5 p.c.		
99½	German 7 p.c.	99	99⅝
99½	Greek Loan	99	99
96	Hungarian 7½ Ser. ...	96	96
13⅝	Italian Rentes	14	14⅜
98⅛	Japan 4 p.c. 1899 ...	98	98⅜
89½	Do. 4 p.c. 1924	89	90
21½	Mexican 5 p.c.	20	20
3½	Do. 6 p.c. 1910 ...	3	3½
3½	Peruvian Corporation ...	3½	4
32	Do. Pref.	32	33
99	Do. Deb.	97	99
27½	Portuguese 3 p.c. ...	26	28
19	Spanish 4 p.c.	19	19½
16½	Turkish Unified	15½	16½
83¾	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	83¾	84

BRITISH RAILS.

87½	Great Western	86½	87¼ -1
79	Do. Cons. Pref.	78½	79
79½	Lon. Mid. & Scot. Ord..	78½	79¼ -1
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	73	75
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref.	75	76
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	—	—
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. 1923.	87	89
61	Lon. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	60	61 -1
22½	Do. 4 p.c. Ord.	22	22¼
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref. ..	49	51
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref. ..	37	39
70	Metropolitan	69½	69¾ -1
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	93	95
47½	Do. District	45½	46 -1
75	Southern Pref. Ord. ...	74¾	75¼
38¾	Do. Def. Ord.	38	38¼
37¾	Do. "A"	36½	37¼ -¼
36	Do. "B"	35½	36 -¼
—	Underground Electric	37¾	37¾
97½	Do. Income Bonds	97	99
101	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	100	100
61	Do. 4 p.c. Deb.	60	60
101	United Havana	95	97 +1
—	Wonderland Pref. Deb.	25½	26½

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	127	131
—	Baltimore	79	81 +1
—	Chesapeake	70	71
—	Chicago, Milwaukee ...	8	10
29¼	Erie	29	31 +1
—	Do. 1st Pref.	39	41 +1
—	New York Ontario	24	26
100½	Southern Common	100	102
—	Do. Pref.	88	91
—	Southern Pacific	102	104
142½	Union Pacific	142	144

TELEGRAPHS.

24½	Anglo-American Dec. ...	24	24¾
7½	Brazilian Traction Ord....	7½	7⅝
—	Do. Pref.	—	13½
—	Do. Deferred	—	102½
19⅛	Do. Marina	19⅛	20⅛
4⅜	Do. Canada	4⅜	4½
—	Oriental Telephone ...	—	—
11½	Radio Corporation ...	11½	11⅝ + ⅛
9⅞	Do. Pref. ($50)	9⅞	10

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

16/9	Allsopp 4% Shares. ...	15	16
91	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	90	91 -1
—	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	86	88
69/6	Do. Ord.	68	69
61/6	Distillers Ord.	3	3¼
640	Guinness	630	650
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Pref.	113	114
20/3	Peter Walker Ord.	20/3	21/-
64/9	South African Breweries	63/9	64/9
21/9	Walker (John) Pref. ...	22/6	23/6
264	Watney Combe Ord.....	261	267

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

26/9	Aerated Bread	27/9	28/- -6/6
4/6	Bell Def.	2/6	2/6
2/6	Crosse and Blackwell...	1/10½	2/6
1/-	Eiffon	—	—
3½	Lyons (J.)	3½	3¾
—	Maclintosh (J.) Pref	23 3	24/-
6/9	Maypole Def.	5 10½	6 1¼ +6/1½
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	—	—
2/6	Spillers Bakeries	2/6	2/6
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	19/3	20/3
1/-	Do. Def. Bergin	1/-	1/- + ⅛
—	Do. Pref.	4½	5½

IRON AND STEEL.

13/3	Armstrong (W. G.)	12/9	13/9
6/3	Cammell Laird	7/6	7/6
13/-	Dorman Long	12/9	13/-
11/6	John Brown	11/-	11/6
1/-	Do. (15s. cash)	1/-	1/-
13/6	Pease and Partners.....	12/6	13/6
3/-	South Durham Steel ...	2/6	3/-
23/3	Stanton	24/9	25/3 -6/6
4/9	United Steel	4/6	4/9
7/3	Vickers Ord.	6/9	7/6 -6/3
—	Weardale Iron C.F.O....	24/6	25/6

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

—	Alsatia Land	1/-	1/-
31/9	Argentine Land Invest.	1/-	1½
20/3	Do. Southern Land ...	1/-	1½
11/6	B.N.B. Land	11/6	12/6
21/3	Forestal Land	21/3	21/9 +6/3
4½	Hudson's Bay Ord.	4½	4¾
—	Do. Pref.	—	—
3/3	Perkin Syndicate	3/3	3/9
25/6	Rio Negro Lands	25/6	26/-
2/6	Sutton Plantations	2½	2½ - ¼

NEWSPAPERS.

8/-	Associ Newspapers Def...	8	8¼
31/6	Daily News Ord.	30/9	31/9 -6/1½
6/9	Daily Mirror Ord.	6/9	6/9
3/-	Sunday Pictorial Ord. ...	2/9	2/9 +6/7½

SHIPPING.

10/9	Cargo Fleet	10/3	11/3
17/9	Coast Lines	17/3	18/-
—	Cunard Ord.	17/3	18/3 -6/3
20/9	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	19/9	19/9
—	Furness	24/9	25/3
—	P. and O. Def.	20/9	20/9 -2½
—	Royal Mail Ord.	23	26

NITRATES.

15	Alliance	12½	13½
4½	Lautaro Nitrate	4¼	4½
3/6	Lautaro Nitrate	4/9	4/9
2½	Liverpool Nitrate	2½	2½
3	Liverpool Nitrate	2½	3
2	London Nitrate	2½	3½
23/9	Rosario Nitrate	24/6	25/9
1¾	Santa Rita Nitrate	1½	1¾
2¼	Santiago Nitrate	2¼	2½
11/9	Tarapaca Nitrate	11/6	11/9

TEXTILES AND STORES.

7/9	Amalgamated Cotton....	7/3½	8/1½ +6/1½
64/9	Bleachers	63/3	64/3
23/6	Bradford Dyers	72/3	73/9
7/9	British Cellanese Ord....	7/6	7/9 +6/4½
3/6	Calico Printers	3/6	3/9
69/9	Coats	59/6	60/6
105/6	Courtaulds	104/-	105/9
37/6	English Sewing Cotton..	51/9	56/9 - 1/3
4/6	Fine Spinners	4/6	4/7½
57/6	Greuts	57	57
42/6	Harrods	42½	43/6
1/-	Ryelins (Wm.)	1/-	1/-
—	Lilley Thread Ord.	1/3	2
31/3	Lister Ord.	31/6	31/6 -6/3
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref. ...	1/6	1/6

RUBBERS.

53/3	Anglo-Dutch	53/1	+1/9
5/-	Anglo Java	5/4½	+0/1½
29/6	Anglo-Malay	29/7½	+1/-
6/6	Bertam Cons.	6/9	+0/1½
6/6	Bukit Mertajam	6/6	+0/1½
2/10½	Bukit Sembawang	2/10½	
—	Buntar	28/9	+2/9
19/6	Damansara	19/6	
17/3	Grand Central	27 2½	+0/7½
—	Highlands	15/9	
2/4½	Kajang	3/-	+0/1½
4/3	Kapong	6/2½	+0/4½
51/3	Kuala Lumpur	51/3	+2/6
32/9	Kuala Muda (f.p.)	32/1½	-0/3
1/6	Labu	1/7½	+0/1½
—	Langkat	43/9	+2/3
4/9	London Asiatic	4/11	+0/3½
23/9	Malaya	23/9	+0/1½
46/9	Mok yalam	46/9	+0/4½
4/7½	Moopiy Estates	4/7½	+0/1½
—	Moopiy Valley	44/4½	+1/4½
39/6	Rubber Trust	40/6	+1/6
6/-	Seafield (New)	6/-	+0/1½
—	Sendayan	39/4½	
5/6	Serdang	5/6	+0/1½
—	Sialang	3/9	+0/1½
2/3	Straits Rubber	24/1½	+0/3
2/3	Tali Ayer	2/3	+0/1½
—	Tandjong	33/9	+1/-
29/3	Tandjong Malim	29/3	+1/3
—	United Sua Betong	41/3	+0/10½
—	Do. Do. Do. New	39/4½	+1/3
15/6	Valambrosa	12/-	

OILS.

M.U., July 7.

4½	Anglo-American	4⅝	4⅞ + ⅛
6/-	Anglo-Persian	6/-	6/-
—	Do. Eastern	—	—
—	Anglo-Egyptian	—	—
27/6	Anglo-Persian 5 p.c. ..	27/6	28/3
25¼	Do. Def. Pref.	25½	25¾
2/3	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref....	2/3	2/6
2/-	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	2/-	2/-
1/3	Kern River (10/-)	13/15	1/7½ +0/1½
1/-	Lobitos	1/-	1/-
14/9	Mexican Eagle	14/6	14/9
1/-	Do. Pref.	1/-	1/-
17/15	Do. Def.	17/0	14/0 + 0/9
1/-	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	17/15	16/15 + 0/9
1/-	North Caucasian (10/-) ..	4/9	5/-
1/-	Orconera Iron (£1-1st. p.)	1/-	1/-
—	Do. do. Def.	—	—
18/9	Phœnix	18 10½	19/4 + 0/6
31½	Royal Dutch	31½	32/6 + ⅜
1/-	Shell "Transport"	1/-	1/-
8/-	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10).	9/6	9/6
1/-	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	25/3	25/6 +0/1½
1/-	Spies (10/-)	1/7½	3/1½
9/6	Steaua Romana	9/6	10/- + 0/9
1/-	Trinidad Leaseholds ...	1/-	1/- + 0/9
—	Trinidad Lease	—	—
3/-	Do. Pref.	3/-	3/-
3/3	United Brit. Trinidad ...

MONEY MARKET.

ENABLE CREDITS SCARCER.

...ts of still another £5,000,000 or... at the Bank of England yesterday... redit supplies in Lombard street... uate at former rates, and in some... s found necessary to pay 4 p.c. ...ily loans. Old loans and weekly ...nt on at 3½ p.c. The previous ...gold influx was inclined to cause ...dated commercial bills to become ... this tendency was offset to a ...ent by the growing demand for ...ty days bills were quoted at 4¼, ...d a little business was done at ...ovel. Three, four and six months' ...were 4¼ 4⅜ and 4⅜ p.c., re... The latest Treasury bills remained ...

Discount (changed March 5, 1925), 5%.

.....	4¼ %		
.....	4⅛ %	Trade.....	5% 5⅛ %
.....	4⅛ %	"	5⅛ %
.....	4⅛ %	"	5¼ %
...ers day-to-day			4⅜ 3⅝ %
... for a week			3⅝ %
...ance: Banks at call			3 %
Discount houses at call			3 %
... at notice			3½ %

... spot and forward prices of silver... d. to 31½d. per ounce for both... a result of India and China buy... with small offerings. The market ...ld fell 1s. 2d. to 84s. 10½d. per ...

The Bank of England announced ...wal of £13,000 in sovereigns for ...Chile and of £6,000 in sovereigns ...

...kness developed in French francs, ...r which touched 104¾, while the ...e of 104¼ was about 1¼ worse than ... The Belgian currency depreciated ...½ of more than 1½ francs to the ...r rising to 105.65. As usual, lire ...d, this quotation losing the whole ...vious day's improvement at 133¼. ...kroner also lost the previous day's ...Danish kroner was cheaper. The ...of Spain, Poland, Greece, and ... gave way. Improvements were ...hose of Austria and Rumania. The ...llar rate again finished unaltered, ...was little movement in the South ...exchanges. Except for a recovery ...n to 1s. 5/32. Eastern exchange ...unaltered.

July 7. Highest and Lowest.		July 6. Closing Rates.		Par Rate
12.12⅝	12.13	12.12¾	12.12⅞	12.10
45⅝	45⅛	45⅝	45⅛	47.58
33.41	33.44	33.40	33.43	28.32
20.41	20.43	20.41	20.43	20.40
104.35	105.75	104.00	104.10	26.32½
1/6d.		1/6d.		2/0
23.49	23.65	23.47	23.52	18.15
192½	193	192¼	193	25.22½
5.03½	25.05	25.04	25.05	25.29
297	304	295	298	25.22½
130⅜	133⅛	129⅜	129⅝	25.22½
1/8d.		1/8¼		24.58d.
33.41	33.45	33.41	33.43	25.22½
25.35	25.45	25.35	25.40	25.22½

*Sch. to £. † Nominal.

OIL REPORT.

Friendship Petroleum Co., Ltd.—Well ...ard sandy shale, drilling now steadily ...eshfresh; and two new prospects to the well which the Trinidad Lease... are drilling at Pyrahad under the ...eir contract with this company.—

OLD PROFITS FOR JUNE.

...ydenburg—Profit, £524; Transvaal G.M. ...264; Golden Horseshoe Estates, £668. Mines, £2,622.

COMPANY MEETING.

ES CONTROL LIMITED

ONOMY OF CORNED BEEF.

...ge Lawson Johnston, presiding at ...y-first annual meeting of Estates ...mited, held yesterday at the offices ...mpany, Old street, London, E.C., ...ing with the accounts, said that ...a great deal about hard times, and ...e necessity for economy as regards ..., therefore, it was a little sur... find that there was not the sale ... beef that there had been in the ...erous pre-war times. A pound of ...f could be bought at 9d., and con... nourishment of more than twice ... frozen beef or mutton, because ...ady cooked and was, of course, also ...e. In addition to being less than ...price of its equivalent in raw ...fact that it was cooked was an ...economy in the household when a ...k required for heating purposes. ...d take a very careful search through ...lists of meat, fish and other foods ...ything like as economical a meat ...rned beef. ...d not say definitely what was in... the published statistics with regard ...t of living, but he presumed that ...eat frozen meat was to-day consumed ...corned beef before the war was ...factors that increased that cost. ...ot suggest that too high a profit ...on imported beef. The fact was ...e costs had recently advanced to a ...ent, while the silent pressure ...by the consumer refraining from ...d so held the selling prices that ...rted meat was, he understood, to... a loss by the importer.

ONSUMERS FIX PRICES.

...ducer of primary products had, on ...hand, been having rather a good ...her it was meat or wheat or wool ...marketed, and all the statistics of ... in the producing countries and ...ts in the importing countries in... was there was to be a continuance ...rices. Merino wool, for instance, ...sky-high in price last November, ...g was that the consumers had been ...in an unadvertised strike. In ...f wool, people had been wearing ...es longer, or, at any rate, the ...whilst the ladies, maybe, had ... their wool a certain amount of ... In spite of the statistics as to ... to have happened, wool has ...er 30 per cent. in six months. ...cattle, in some of the producing ...e thought the top notch in price ...ttered and that they would soon ... When it was recognised that the ...d the power to check extravagant ...staining from buying they would ...ck to more stable figures. Pools ... and other artificial means of ... prices in producing countries ...tand long against a reduction in ... and when the producer ...realised that only very large pro... give satisfaction to all parties ... be getting closer to more pros... for all ...ded by moving the adoption of ...nd accounts, which was seconded ...e Crichton-Browne, M.C., and it ...to unanimously.

EVIZES WOOL SALE.

...000 fleeces were sold at Devizes wool ...ompany buyers, but drop of between ... all round. Top price for unwashed ...against 37½d. last year, while top ...bed, of which only a small quantity ...18½d., against 30½d. last year.

...can Bank, Limited.
...DON, E.C.2.
...al £2,734,680
...al £4,367,330
...N, has, with its
...CA, LTD., and ...ERICA, LTD. ...IN AMERICA.
...Y, NEW YORK (...ew York) and ...e on., PARIS.
...Y, LTD., BELFAST.

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DUBLIN TRAMWAYS LEASE.

VIEWS ON THE CITY COUNCIL'S OPTION.

The letter of the Dublin Town Clerk, published yesterday, on the proposal to postpone the Corporation's option on the Dublin Tramways system for forty-two years if the Tramways Company undertakes the re-laying and the working of the Lucan line, does not close the question as far as those who are exerting themselves in connection with the future of the Lucan tram service are concerned.

One of these, commenting yesterday on the letter, referred particularly to the sentence in the letter which reads:—"The Commissioners are not satisfied that the benefits to accrue to the citizens and the residents in the county from the working of the Lucan line by the Dublin United Tramways Company are so great as to warrant the Commissioners in undertaking the responsibility of postponing the option."

He said:—What is the grave responsibility involved? The Tramways Company are paying to the city in rates, wayleaves, and road maintenance a sum of £70,000 per annum. Every district in which they have run their system has rapidly developed. Owing to the development on all sides the city revenue has largely increased. The company offer to extend their system to a district which opens up very great possibilities in the way of development without any Government subsidy or grant of any kind. They agree to spend £70,000 for such development, and offer to employ a large number of men temporarily, and fifty or sixty men permanently. All that they ask in exchange is extension of their lease of the city streets at the same rental as before.

The importance attached to the option was solely due to the fact that the Corporation, having a generating station of their own, considered that their load factor would be greatly improved by supplying the current for the tramway system in addition to their lighting load. That benefit has entirely disappeared owing to the prospect of a supply from the Shannon scheme.

As to the benefits to accrue to the citizens and the residents of the county from the working of the Lucan line by the Dublin United Tramways Company, concerning which the Commissioners are not satisfied, they may be stated as follows:—

(a)—Development of a district hitherto neglected.

(b)—Increased revenue due to such development.

(c)—The immediate employment of a large number of men temporarily, and fifty or sixty men permanently.

(d)—The greatly reduced cost of maintenance of roads as compared with bus traffic.

(e)—Reliability of service.

(f)—The maintenance of a considerable portion of the roads by the Tramways Company.

(g)—For residents in the county the development of proper transit facilities to and from the centre of the city, electric lighting supply and electric power supply for pumping water, etc.

(h)—Goods and parcels delivery to their doors daily as required.

(i)—Reduction of taxation owing to the increased revenue due to the development.

If the Commissioners do not consider the various arguments in favour of the proposal sufficient, and now say possibility of the Municipality at any time taking over the tramway system, then let them take over the Lucan system, relay it and get running powers to the centre of the city, and work the line as an experiment before taking over the large system of the Dublin United Tramways Company; or, as an alternative, let the Commissioners offer a shorter term for the option, and give the Tramways Company an extension of, say, twenty-one years in place of the forty-two years asked for.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

AFTER DRINKING BOUT.

RETURNED AUSTRALIAN MISSES £45.

(BEFORE MR. COOPER, K.C.)

John Delaney (51), Upper Dominick street, described as a drover, and Michael O'Hara, Lower Wellington street, were remanded till Friday in custody on a charge of robbing Cornelius McGrath, a returned Australian, of £45. McGrath alleged that on Monday night, between 10 and 11 o'clock, the accused men were with him in a cab at Gloucester street. He was under the influence of drink, and one or other of the two men took notes out of his pocket.

When searched at Fitzgibbon street police station Delaney, it was stated, had only 5s. in his possession.

McGrath told the magistrate that £100 was cabled to him from Australia, and that, having booked his return passage at Cook's, he had about £65 left. He met the accused, whom he identified, outside the Globe Hotel, Talbot street, about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. They had drinks in several public-houses, and met again at 7 o'clock. During the day he spent about £5 on drink. When he counted his money in Gloucester street he had £19, and found that he had been robbed of about £45.

A motor car driver stated that he saw a cab stop in Gloucester street, and then saw McGrath taken into a hallway. He was unable to speak or walk. The two men who were with him gave a boy some coppers to telephone for an ambulance. The men were afterwards pointed out to the police in a public-house in Cumberland street.

PUBLICAN'S SECOND CONVICTION.

James Grace, 68 Parnell street, was fined £5 for keeping his licensed premises open during prohibited hours on 27th May last. There was a previous conviction for refusing to admit the police in February last, when he was fined £5.

Sergeant Byrne gave evidence that on the night of the 27th May, at 11.50 o'clock, he saw lights in Grace's public-house and heard corks being drawn, the porter pump working and the cash register jingling. While he had the place under observation a side door opened and four men emerged and walked quickly down Moore lane. He followed and caught one of the men, who gave his name as O'Mara. He brought him back to Grace's, where he saw a number of empty glasses and bottles on the counter. Mr. Grace explained that the four men were friends of his and that they had been playing cards up stairs. No money was paid for the drink.

William M'Sweeney, who stated that he was an officer in the Free State Air Force, supported the defendant's explanation.

The fine carries an endorsement, and Mr. E. H. Burne, for the defendant, intimated that he would lodge an appeal.

O'Mara was fined 5s.

TRAMCAR OVERCROWDING.

(BEFORE MR. COLLINS, K.C.)

Two tram conductors, summoned for permitting overcrowding on the Inchicore line on Sunday, May 31st, were cautioned.

Mr. E. H. Burne, defending, explained that on this Sunday there was a May procession at Inchicore Church, and the Tramways Company were running additional cars. There was plenty of room on top of the two cars in question, but a heavy shower of rain came on and those on top took shelter underneath. Twenty-five was the number allowed "inside" by the regulations. In one of those cars there were six passengers too many "inside" and three too many in the other.

The magistrate remarked that on special occasions and during the "rush" hours there must be a little "give and take."

ALLEGED BICYCLE THEFTS.

Gerard Martin (23), Kimmage, was sent for trial on bail on charges of stealing two bicycles—one from the Phoenix Park Racecourse and the other from the Parochial Hall attached to Leeson Park Church. Detectives recovered the machines from city pawnbrokers' shops, and the defendant's explanation, it was stated, was that he bought them from a man who, he believed, had since gone to Liverpool.

BELFAST TRADE REVIVAL.

HOPEFUL SPEECH BY LORD KYLSANT.

NEW CONTRACTS.

MORE WORK FOR THE SHIPYARDS.

LINEN PROSPECTS.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

AN improvement in the near future in the Belfast shipbuilding and linen industries was forecast to-day by Lord Kylsant, the Chairman of Messrs. Harland and Wolff, Ltd., the Royal Mail Steam Packet Co., and the Union Castle Line.

He was speaking at a luncheon after the launch of the Asturias, the largest motor ship in the world, from Messrs. Harland and Wolff's Belfast yard.

INCREASED EMPLOYMENT.

In 1913 Harland and Wolff, he said, employed in their yard at Belfast from 11,000 to 13,000 men, and in 1924, at the date of the lamented death of Lord Pirrie, there were just over 6,000 workers in the Harland and Wolff Belfast shipyard and engine works. It is gratifying to know that to-day Harland and Wolff are employing at Belfast over 9,400 men—an increase of over 50 per cent. during the last twelve months.

"Now that the Asturias is safely in the water, we have over 90,000 tons of shipping fitting out or under repair at Belfast, and I am glad to say that recently we secured extensive repair work on vessels which were actually lying at Continental ports

NEW CONTRACTS.

"We also have four very large motor passenger liners under construction on the slips at Belfast, amounting in all to more than 60,000 tons gross register. To-day I am very glad to be able to announce that arrangements have now been definitely concluded which will result in work being commenced at once on a large new passenger and cargo vessel for our old and valued clients the White Star Line.

"Within the next few weeks the Union Castle Line, of which I am chairman, hopes to conclude final arrangements for the construction of an intermediate passenger and cargo steamer with Messrs. Workman, Clark and Co., which will also provide additional work to Belfast, which, I feel certain, will be good news to the citizens of Belfast.

"Signs are thus not wanting that better days lie ahead."

LINEN TRADE REVIVAL.

"I regret that the textile industry of Northern Ireland, like the shipbuilding industry, has been passing through a prolonged period of depression. I understand that throughout the Province of Ulster approximately 30,000 workers in the linen trade are unemployed, representing nearly one-half of the total. The cause of depression is varied, and are well known to you. It is gratifying that a slight revival is now evident in the demand for linen goods from our own overseas Dominions, especially Australia, and I trust that this may soon be followed by an increased demand from America, hitherto your biggest market.

"You are fortunate in Northern Ireland in having men in control of the textile trade who are well qualified to bring the industry again to a prosperous state, and I am sure, under their skilful guidance, the present difficulties will be surmounted. In carrying out important schemes of research the industry is on the right lines, because it is only by the fullest possible application of science to the practical side of the business that we can hope successfully to hold our own in the markets of the world."

LORD MAYOR'S OPTIMISM.

The Lord Mayor, in the course of his reply, said that during the war as many as 22,000 men were engaged at the Queen's Island, and in pre-war days it was roughly, 14,000.

He understood that the workers recognised the difficulty in securing orders, and nobly responded to a call made upon them for a reduction in wages. It was by such co-operation and desire to help that they were likely to hold together and eventually pull through. Unfortunately, however, many other industries are in a low state. Our staple industry of linen, for instance, shows an unemployment list of approximately 30,000, and other trades are proportionately affected. The unemployment question is a serious one, and even the wisest and most sagacious of us cannot find a solution.

"I am sufficient of an optimist to believe that just as the tide of trade and industry has ebbed, so it will surely flow again, bringing with it better, happier, and more prosperous times," he concluded.

HARBOUR BOARD'S EFFORT.

Mr. W. F. Williames, responding on behalf of the Belfast Harbour Commissioners, said that they thoroughly realised the fact that any substantial recovery of their trade prosperity could only be brought about by way of reduced costs and charges, and in the management of their trust, the Harbour Commissioners might be relied upon to do everything possible in that direction. As an illustration, he might mention, on the basis of the trade of last year, the reductions made in harbour rates and dues in the course of the last two years represents a remission of over £60,000 per annum; in other words, had they charged the same rates and dues in 1924 as they were charging in 1922 the dues payers would have had to pay them £60,000 more during the last year than they actually had done.

LOST GOLF BALL.

WHEN "FINDINGS" WERE NOT "KEEPINGS."

The finding of a lost golf ball on Woodbrook Golf Links, Bray, led to the appearance before Mr. Little, D.J., at Shankill District Court yesterday of a young man named Patrick Kenna on a charge of "being within an enclosure unlawfully and stealing and carrying away a golf ball."

A Civic Guard gave evidence of finding Kenna on Sir Stanley Cochrane's lands at Woodbrook and seeing him pick up a golf ball. Kenna told him that he was going to take the ball to Bray Park to play there.

Guard Turley said that Sir Stanley Cochrane had complained of golf balls and other things being missed from the pavilion.

Mr. Little, remarking that a golf links was an enclosed place, bound over the defendant in £10 to be of good behaviour.

MR. THOMAS JOHNSON'S POSITION.

We have received the following statement from the Executive of the Irish Labour Party and Trade Union Congress:—

"As publicity has been given to a number of erroneous statements and conjectures concerning Deputy Johnson's relinquishment of the office of Chairman of the Labour Party in the Dail, the National Executive of the Labour Party think it desirable to repeat and emphasise Mr. Johnson's own statement that his action was due to his extreme dissatisfaction with the Government's attitude to the grave problem of unemployment, and that there is no foundation whatever for any suggestion of differences between himself and other Labour deputies or members of the National Executive. In particular, neither Mr. Johnson nor the Labour deputies nor the National Executive have contemplated the withdrawal of the Labour Party from the Oireachtas."

TUAM DIOCESAN SYNOD.

In the report of Tuam Diocesan Synod, which appeared in last Saturday's issue, certain remarks on the temperance question were attributed to Canon W. M. Connell. The address in question was delivered by Canon T. Boland, Diocesan Secretary for the Church of Ireland Temperance Society.

The Pope yesterday received in private audience Monsignor Pereira, Vicar-General of Damaon, Portuguese India, together with a group of Indian pilgrims.

WORLD'S LARGEST MOTOR SHIP.

LAUNCH OF BELFAST-BUILT LINER.

The largest and most powerful motor ship in the world is the Royal Mail passenger liner, Asturias (22,000 tons gross), which was launched yesterday from the new East Yard of Messrs. Harland and Wolff, Ltd., at Belfast. Her dimensions are: length, 655 feet; 8 ins.; breadth, 78 feet, and depth, 45 feet.

The Duchess of Abercorn, on the invitation of Lord Kylsant, G.C.M.G., who is the Chairman of both the owners' and the builders' companies, named the vessel. The christening ceremony over, she pressed an electric button and the vessel moved slowly down the slips, gathering momentum as it neared the water. It was pulled up in its own length by stout hawsers attached to stationary anchors on shore.

The Duchess of Abercorn was accompanied by Captain Murray, A.D.C. to the Governor, and Commander Oscar Henderson, D.S.O. Also present were Lord Kylsant and Mr. Charles Payne, C.B.E., managing director at Belfast, who received the Duchess, Lady Kylsant, Sir William Turner (Lord Mayor of Belfast), Mr. W. E. Williamey, D.L. (Chairman of the Harbour Commissioners), and the Right Hon. H. M. Pollock, D.L., Northern Minister of Finance.

ACCOMMODATION FOR 1,740.

Intended for the South American trade, the Asturias will comply with all the requirements of the Board of Trade and Spanish laws. Her four cycle double-acting motors are the largest Marine Diesel engines ever constructed, and as a passenger motor ship the Asturias will be unrivalled on the South American route. Accommodation on a luxurious scale will be provided for 1,740 passengers and crew.

The decoration of the ship is most elaborate. The forward staircase extends through six decks, and the treatment adopted is of Georgian character, the stairs balustrading being of wrought iron of a pleasing and varied design. The first class dining saloon, situated on "A" deck, is a most magnificent apartment in the style of the French Empire, with columns of Breche violette marble and bronze-gilt carving and enrichments.

The first Asturias (12,002 tons) was built on the Queen's Island in 1908, and was 580 feet long and 62 feet beam. During the war she was employed as a hospital ship, and in 1918 was torpedoed in the English Channel, but did not sink. She was renamed Arcadian, for the Royal Mail Company, and is still in the service.

Another Royal Mail liner and a Union Castle vessel, of the same dimensions as the Asturias, are being constructed in the Belfast yard.

DAIL AND DIVORCE.

"A VERY REGRETTABLE DECISION."

The Right Rev. Dr. Miller, Bishop of Cashel and Waterford, who presided at the Waterford Diocesan Synod yesterday, referred to the Dail's attitude towards divorce in the Free State, and said that in this matter they had adopted a sectarian attitude and exceeded their duty, and possibly their powers.

UNJUST AND ALARMING.

The Government, the Bishop said, have pledged themselves to give equal rights and privileges to all people resident in the Free State, irrespective of religious denomination. Having regard to the recent decision of the Government on the question of divorce it must be said that a considerable number of people resident in the Free State believe that decision to be unjust and alarming. Many members of all Protestant denominations hold with unshakeable firmness the view that our Lord has taught that under certain conditions marriage may be dissolved and the innocent person may remarry. The Free State Government say in effect to these people—"Your interpretation is wrong, and we will not permit relief to be given even to an innocent man or woman."

This attitude is, in our opinion, unjust. It becomes alarming when it is remembered that members of the Government Party, without exception, recognise and submit to a higher authority on all moral questions. It that authority should decide to disagree at any time with that decision, what then is the position? Is the power to dissolve marriage in the Free State to be centred in the supreme head of one religious denomination to the total exclusion of all others? We cannot say less than that this decision is very regrettable. It introduces an element into Irish public life which weakens that feeling of confidence so essential to the stability and progress of the State. It ought to be possible to frame a form of words which would meet a difficult situation, and prevent in Ireland what is undoubtedly a most grave blot upon English public life. We all agree that frequency of divorce, conferring the right upon guilty persons to re-marry, is a crying scandal, but yet that does not justify what many loyal subjects of the Free State believe to be a grave injustice.

The whole question finally depends upon the true interpretation of our Lord's words. If His words were capable of only one construction there would have been an end of the matter. No Christian State would pass legislation in opposition to His commands; but in this case scholars of note disagree. The Free State Government now take a strong side in this controversy. They say in effect that our Lord's words bear a particular interpretation, and they have founded a policy upon that interpretation. In their efforts to remedy what is undoubtedly a serious defect in our laws they have gone too far. They have now adopted a definitely sectarian attitude upon this question, and in so doing we maintain that they have exceeded their duty and possibly their powers.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT.

Speaking on the financial position of the diocesan churches, the Bishop said—We have again a favourable financial report to present to you. It is stimulating to a remarkable degree to note the increased financial support which our people are so willingly giving. This is all the more noteworthy when it is remembered that our numbers are considerably depleted. During the past year the Diocesan Council have been carefully considering a revision of the financial scheme. Its main features are the security which it gives to the incomes of the clergy and the provision which it makes to secure this very desirable end. Other reports which will be presented are, on the whole, satisfactory.

Concluding, Dr. Miller said—There are increasing evidences of peace and progress in the country. The contrast between the present time and three years back is very marked, and gives reason to hope for a much brighter future. The homes of our people are being rebuilt. On the whole, the compensation awarded in the County Waterford has been reasonable, and families are returning to take their former useful position in the country. There are some very hard cases amongst our poorer people. Through fear they will not return, and the only thing that can be done for them is to give them adequate compensation, so as to enable them to make their homes elsewhere.

There is another matter of importance which may be mentioned—namely, education. The Government are inviting opinions upon the programme to be put into force in our primary schools, and we are complying with their courteous request. In intermediate education you are aware that the results system of payment has ceased to exist, and its place has been taken by a capitation rate. The amount of the rate has not yet been made public.

His lordship before sitting down paid a tribute to the services rendered to the diocese by the Archdeacon of Lismore and the Secretary, Dr. Ambrose.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION.

The first public session of the Departmental Committee on Workmen's Compensation will be held in the Conference Room, Department of Industry and Commerce, Lord Edward street, Dublin, next Wednesday, at 11 a.m. This Committee has been established to inquire into the present system of the payment of compensation to workers for injuries sustained in the course of their employment, and to consider and report whether any amendments or alterations in the law or administration are desirable.

LOCAL OPTION DEMAND.

PRESBYTERIANS' PLAN FOR TEMPERANCE REFORM.

EIGHT POINTS IN THE PROGRAMME.

THE temperance programme of the Presbyterian Churches in Dublin and the neighbourhood, which embodies a number of reforms, including the reduction of licences by half, complete Sunday closing, abolition of mixed trading and local option, has been submitted to the Liquor Commission. The following eight points are set out in the memorandum which was before yesterday's meeting of the Presbytery:—

1. Complete Sunday closing of all licensed houses.
   (a) It will help the citizens to keep the Fourth Commandment.
   (b) Sunday opening makes for disorder in streets and roads and at corners.
   Brawls on Sunday invariably are in connection with drinking.
   If permitted in rural districts, even for a couple of hours, it would become very difficult to enforce closing at proper hour.
   (c) No real demand by the people for drinking facilities on a Sunday.
   (d) Sunday drinking tends to unfit for Monday's work.
   (e) Sunday closing will tend towards unity throughout the whole country.
2. Abolition of *bona fide* concessions.
   (a) Opens the door to abuses and *mala fide* drinks.
   (b) Motors and char-a-bancs on Sunday are frequently a public danger.
   (c) Definition of a *bona fide* traveller is easily evaded. Limit in these days of motor cars means nothing. Should be extended.
3. Reduction of all licences by at least half.
   1—1000 in towns
   1—500 in country
   would make for a smaller national drink bill and higher level of prosperity.
4. Abolition of mixed trading and spirit grocers' licences.
   (a) Sale of drink should be confined to separate premises.
   (b) Arguments against mixed trading apply also against spirit grocers.
5. Compensation should be paid by those left in the trade.
   (a) They will reap the benefit.
   (b) Increase value of their premises, etc.
   (c) Tends towards a monopoly under "tied houses" system, hence benefit is more certain to those left in.
6. Local option.
   (a) Will register the will of the people.
   (b) Improve upon the *referendum*.
   (c) Will throw the responsibility upon the people, which, in itself, is an educating factor in forming "public policy."
   (d) Is "government by consent of the governed."
   (e) Apply to registered clubs also.
7. Clubs should be regarded as inside the licensing laws, and not outside.
   (a) Greatly on increase, and constitute a new form of distribution.
   (b) When licences are reduced, the danger is that clubs will multiply as a means of distribution. They cannot be brought under strict supervision
   (c) Provide for appointment of special inspectors.
8. Temperance clubs to be provided, which will provide healthy literature and amusements, games, refreshments for holiday excursions, and be a healthy social centre for adolescents. Instead of State taking over control of licensed houses, it would serve national welfare by some scheme which would encourage the formation and development of social centres for the needs of the youth of the country.

We attach the greatest importance to this recommendation.

Legislation merely negative would lead to illicit distillation and drinking.

The State, in our opinion, should subsidise, on proper conditions, bodies such as Village Libraries, the Gaelic League, Local Councils, and the Guild for Rural Clubs in their operations for the erection of town and village halls, with temperance refreshment bars attached where possible.

On behalf of the Dublin Presbytery Temperance Committee,

E. J. McKee, LL.D.
Denham Osborne, D.D.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, July 8, 1925.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (Chief Justice)—In Leinster Circuit, Before the Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock—Ex parte, Wm. M. Moore; &c., Lane and Boyle. Chief Justice's Chambers. Before the Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock—Keyes, a minor; McKeown, minors; Smith, minors. Before Dr. Wood, at 11.30 o'clock—Oliver, minor.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (The High Court of Justice)—In Court No. 1, at 11 o'clock. Action—Sands v. McCann.

In Court 2—At 11 o'clock. Actions—O'Connor v. King; O'Neill v. Danaher; Coffey v. Faunise & Co.

In Court 3—At 11 o'clock. Circuit Appeals. Cork Circuit—Noonan v. Reddy, to be mentioned on 13th inst.; Kenneth v. Minister for Finance; Walsh v. Cork Co. Co.; Keenan v. Philpot and another; Hennessey v. Barry; Dugdale v. Dillon; Griffin v. O'Connell; Perrott v. Cresham; Buckley v. Roberton; Coen v. Society; Cotter v. Cleary; Buckley v. Roberton; Coen v. Society; O'Sullivan v. Hegarty v. Kelleher; Hennessey v. Barry; Dugdale v. Freyer. Dublin Circuit—Higgins v. Montgomery; Cotter v. Keith; Keith v. Cullen; McCann v. Cotter; Bryan v. Cotter; Cotter v. Butler; Bryan v. Cotter; Butler v. Woulfe; Keating v. Hamilton; Kirk v. Murphy; Bradley and Flynn and another v. Mullins; Shanley v. Bradley and Cullen; Higgins v. B. and A. Meat Co.; Brady v. Higgins; Egan v. Co.; Cosgrave v. Byrne; Lynch v. O'Doherty; Sparks v. Killeen. The following cases will be taken on the above Appeals are disposed of—Northern Circuit—Cullina v. O'Doherty; Wilkinson v. Cullina; Cullina v. McDaniel; Cullina v. Cullina; Cullina v. Cullina; Cullina v. Cullina

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LIVE STOCK BREEDING ACT, 1925.

LICENSING OF BULLS.

Notice is hereby given that on
All Bulls calved on or before 31st December, 1924, must be licensed before 30th September, 1925.
Applications for Licences, with fee (5/-), must be lodged with the Department of Agriculture, Upper Merrion street, Dublin, NOT LATER THAN 31st JULY, 1925.
Forms of application and lists of centres may be had at the local Police Barracks, Garda Siochana Station, or from the Secretary, County Committee of Agriculture.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
THE HONOURABLE GERTRUDE VICTORIA PLUNKET, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, that the Honourable Gertrude Victoria Plunket, late of Ballymascanlan House, in the County of Louth, by her Will dated the 16th day of January, 1921, bequeathed (inter alia) the following legacies, to be payable after the death of her sister, the Honourable Katharine Plunket:—
To the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland, One Thousand Pounds, the income thereof to be applied as a perpetual endowment for the augmentation of the income of the incumbent of the Parish of Ballymascanlan, County Louth, Diocese of Armagh;
To the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland, One Thousand Pounds, the income thereof to be applied as a perpetual endowment for the augmentation of the income of the incumbent of the Parish of Aslaugh, County Mayo, Diocese of Tuam;
To the same Representative Body, Two Thousand Pounds, to be applied by them in their discretion for the benefit of poor parishes in the Diocese of Tuam, Killala and Achonry;
One Thousand Pounds to the Trustees of the Spanish and Portuguese Church Aid and Relief;
Five Hundred Pounds to the Treasurer for the time being of the Working Ladies' Guild, 351 Brompton road, London, S.W.1;
Five Hundred Pounds to the Treasurer for the time being of Mrs. Smyly's Dublin Mission Homes and Ragged Schools;
Two Hundred Pounds to the Treasurer for the time being of the Lord's Protestant Orphan Society;
To the said Representative Body, One Thousand Pounds, the income thereof to be applied as a perpetual endowment for the augmentation of the income of the Incumbent of the Parish of Ballymascanlan, County Louth, Diocese of Armagh;
And the said Testatrix appointed the Most Reverend the Honourable Benjamin John Plunket, of Bishopscourt, Navan, in the County of Meath, Lord Bishop of Meath, and William Martin, of Mill street, Monaghan, in the County of Monaghan, Solicitor, to be the Executors of her said Will. The said Testatrix died on the 6th day of December, 1924, and her said Will was proved by the said Executors, and Probate thereof granted to them forth of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, the Principal Registry, on the 16th day of April, 1925.
Dated this 6th day of July, 1925.
FRED SUTTON and CO., Solicitors for said Executors, 52 Dame street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern.

IN THE GOODS OF
ALFRED HENRY POULTER, late of 55 Lower Camden street, Dublin, Cinema Manager, deceased.
All persons having claims against the assets of the above, who died on 29th day of March, 1925, should send particulars to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors, to whom Probate was granted on 24th June last, on or before the 31st instant, the assets after the 31th of August next, having regard only to the claims previously received.
Dated this 7th of July, 1925.
W. S. BARRETT, Solicitor, 15 South Frederick street, Dublin.

1925. No. 9433.
SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.
CHANCERY JUDGE.
COMPANIES WINDING-UP.
In the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908; and in the Matter of the
GOLDEN BLEND TEA COMPANY, LIMITED.
Notice is hereby given that a Petition for the winding-up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann was, on the 1st day of July, 1925, presented to the said Court by Arnall and Company, Limited, of 23 Rood Lane, in the City of London, Wholesale Tea Dealers, Creditors of the said Company.
And that the said Petition is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice Meredith on Monday, the 20th day of July, 1925, and any Creditor or Contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said Petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose, and a copy of the Petition will be furnished to any Creditor or Contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.
JOHN J. SCALLAN and CO., Solicitors for the Petitioners, 25 Suffolk street, Dublin.
Note.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said Petition must serve on, or send by post to the above-named, notice of his intention so to do. The Notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post sufficiently in time to reach the above-named not later than 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Friday, the 17th day of July, 1925.

The Irish Times.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1925.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The Minister of Local Government has prepared a scheme of road improvement which will cost £3,820,000, and take three years to complete.—(Page 7.)

The Free State Senate yesterday rescinded the resolution which it passed on June 11th concerning bills of divorce.—(Page 7.)

Both the Munster and the Tullamore Agricultural Shows, which were opened yesterday, were very successful. The entries in both were surprisingly large, and the attendances were most satisfactory.—(Page 11.)

Speaking on the Dail's attitude towards divorce in the Free State yesterday at the Waterford Diocesan Synod, the Bishop (Dr. Miller), who presided, said that a sectarian attitude had been adopted, and that the members of the Government had exceeded their duty and possibly their powers.—(Page 5.)

The traffic returns of the Irish railways for the first six months of the year show a decline of over £450,000 compared with 1924.—(Page 7.)

A hopeful speech regarding the future of the shipbuilding and the linen industries in Belfast was made yesterday by Lord Kylsant.—(Page 5.)

A memorandum on temperance reform has been submitted by the Presbyterian Churches in Dublin and neighbourhood to the Liquor Commission.—(Page 5.)

The Clonmel Corporation yesterday passed an amendment adjourning for three months a proposal to confer the freedom of the borough on Archbishop Mannix.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Unemployment Insurance Bill passed its second reading in the House of Commons last night.—(Page 6.)

A serious fire occurred yesterday in Glasgow. The damage is estimated at over £250,000.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Roscommon yesterday Striped Silk won the Whelan Plate, Silpho the Byrne Plate, Prudent Lad the Mapother Plate, Rare Sort the Hayden Plate, Carn the Harrison Plate and Yours Only the Neilan Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Nottingham yesterday My Crackers won the Dukeries Foal Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Salisbury Imparat won the Wiltshire Sweepstakes.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were firm, with marked strength in Teas and Rubbers.—(Page 4.)

Money in Lombard street was anything but plentiful, and 4 per cent. was charged for overnight loans.—(Page 4.)

In Dublin the Stock Market was steady, with Railways Pre-Ordinary rising and Guinness Shares strong.—(Page 4.)

"Advice."

Mr. Thomas Johnson is a useful member of *Dail Eireann*, but he would be still more useful if he had a smaller instinct of suspicion and a larger sense of humour. In his charming speech at the Irish Club's dinner, in London, the Governor-General of the Free State remarked: "It is a modern jargon to say that a King must be advised by his Ministers." Scenting treason in this *obiter dictum*, Mr. Johnson raised the matter yesterday on the adjournment of the *Dail*. He talked darkly of violations of Article 51 of the Constitution and hinted that the foundations of the State were in danger. We hope that Mr. O'Higgins's affable exegesis of Article 51 has removed his fears. Under that Article, as the Minister for Justice explained, the Governor-General is free to give every sort of advice to his Ministers and they are free to accept or reject it. On the other hand, a refusal by the Governor-General to give effect to the "advice" of his Ministers—as represented by the Executive Council's formal decisions on matters of policy—would provoke a constitutional crisis. No such crisis has been, or is likely to be, provoked; and so Mr. Johnson may sleep easily in his bed. We shall save the incident from the limbo of political futility by telling Ministers and Mr. Johnson something which they ought to know—namely, that the more the Executive Council takes the Governor-General's advice, the better the country will be pleased. If Ministers were less contemptuous of public opinion, they would have realised before now that a great majority of the citizens regards His Excellency as one of the Free State's most fortunate assets. It would be unfair to blame our young Government, which, on the whole, has been very successful, for the lack of qualities that are acquired only through opportunity, leisure and experience. During the last few years Ireland has been a poor school for the graces of diplomacy and the amenities of public life. We may attribute to historical causes the narrowness of outlook which stamps most of the Free State's Ministers, their impatience of criticism, their lingering distrust of British statesmanship, their nervous feeling that the simplest acts of international courtesy may be construed to their disadvantage. Nevertheless, the temper which is the outcome of all these things makes a very negative contribution to certain fine traditions that the world associates with Ireland. In the circumstances it would be hard to over-rate the value of the Governor-General's personality. He has the gift of kindly and witty speech. Like Tennyson's miller, he is "full of dealings with the world." He understands Englishmen and is liked and respected by them; and he appreciates the enormous privileges of this country's place in the Commonwealth of British Nations. We are convinced that Mr. Healy's attitude to our "external affairs" is not only the right, but the popular, attitude. He is a true exponent of the country's desires and manners—a Chiron from whom that still raw Achilles, the Free State Government, has much to learn.

Roads and Railways.

Everybody who is interested in the internal economy of the Free State will welcome the announcement by the Minister for Local Government, in *Dail Eireann* yesterday, that the problem of the roads is about to be tackled at last. It is high time; for there can be no real improvement in our economic position until the roads are brought to a reasonable level of efficiency. Mr. Burke told the *Dail* that, while the increase of heavy motor traffic undoubtedly was responsible for much of the depreciation of the roads, it was not the only culprit. The tarring of a mile of road to a width of twelve feet costs approximately £120. Nothing like this sum ever has been spent on the Irish roads. In 1914 the average cost of upkeep *per mile* to the taxpayer was £15, and in 1924, although wages had increased roughly by 150 *per cent.*, the average outlay was only £30, or 100 *per cent.* above the pre-war figure. In fourteen of the twenty-six counties of the Free State the expenditure on roads was even smaller. Obviously, therefore, the Free State roads have been neglected shamefully, and heavy expenditure—which the taxpayer must meet—will be necessary before the vast amount of leeway can be overhauled. Mr. Burke, in conjunction with the Roads Advisory Committee and the Chief Roads Engineer, has prepared a "comprehensive scheme" which at present is being examined by the Minister for Finance. If it is approved by Mr. Blythe, it will be put into operation without delay. The scheme will cost about £3,820,000. It will be completed in three years, and will provide employment for a large body of direct labour throughout the country. The Minister proposes to "improve" 1,500 miles of the 4,000 miles of trunk roads in the Free State by giving them a "road life" of from eight to ten years. A tar-bitumen macadam surface is the best that he can promise, but in busy areas an attempt will be made to provide something more lasting, and, if funds are forthcoming, concrete or asphalt roads will be built for heavy traffic.

The money for Mr. Burke's scheme, and for the permanent maintenance of the roads in good order after they have been re-made, must be raised by the Government. Mr. Burke says very truly that there is no need for an increased tax on private motor cars; but, on the other hand, the heavy motor traffic, consisting of huge lorries, does not pay nearly enough to compensate the damage which it does to the roads. He proposes, therefore, to reduce the *maximum* laden weight of all new lorries from twelve to nine tons, by regulation, and, by the introduction of legislation in next year's Finance Bill, to increase the rate for heavy traffic of all kinds. In regard to speed, he declares that the present rules are stringent enough and that he has approached the Minister for Finance with a view to their stricter enforcement. The scheme, so far as it goes, is sound, and we approve heartily of Mr. Burke's proposals. Ultimately, however, the Free State transport problem must be treated as a whole. Roads are inseparable from railways, and each ought to be regarded as the complement of the other. The railways are in a parlous plight. The traffic returns for the half-year on all the Irish lines show that receipts are down by nearly £500,000 in comparison with those of the corresponding period of last year, while those of the Free State alone show a loss of some £323,000. The improvement of the roads at the expense of the railways would be an extremely foolish policy, and the danger is that by concentration on the roads the railways may be forgotten. Until the transport problem is solved, or, at any rate, well on the way towards solution, agriculture and industry alike must continue to languish; for transport governs every economic activity. An excellent start has been made by Mr. Burke; but we hope that the Government will recognise the fact that it is no more than a start. With a well-organised system of roads and railways the Free State of the future will be able to develop a healthy and prosperous economy. Co-ordination is the essential without which no real progress can be made.

Indian Affairs.

In the House of Lords yesterday the Earl of Birkenhead made his eagerly awaited statement on the condition of affairs in India. During the last few weeks he has been in close touch with the Earl of Reading, the Viceroy, who is in London at present on leave, and he was expected generally to make an important statement of policy. His speech, however, was more in the nature of a review of Indian conditions, and contained no startling announcements of impending political changes. Lord Birkenhead is not enamoured of the Montagu reforms, and does not hesitate to say so; but, very wisely, neither he nor the Viceroy is in favour of any departure from the system of dyarchy which Mr. Montagu introduced until the extremist movement in India has been defeated. At the moment agitation is rife throughout a great part of the Dependency. The Swaraj movement is almost as active as ever it was, especially in Bengal; and, encouraged by Bolshevist agents, hot-heads are still at work to overthrow British rule. Lord Birkenhead states definitely that he will have no truck with "non-co-operation." Until some level-headed Indians can be found to lead the people out of the political wilderness into which they have been driven by Mr. Gandhi and his colleagues, the present system will remain in force and no nonsense will be tolerated. Firm government is essential to India's welfare. From the outset it was clear that the attempt to superimpose advanced ideas of Western democracy on the immemorial traditions of an Oriental race must fail; but, now that the damage has been done, the return to less romantic, but more efficient, theories of government must be, of necessity, gradual. Generations—possibly, indeed, centuries—must elapse before the Indian races will be able to take their place among the free peoples of the world. In the manwhile, Britain's task is to govern them with wisdom and justice, maintaining those traditions that have made her great Empire, and refusing to be deflected from her course by violence or threats. In Lord Birkenhead and Lord Reading she has an admirable combination. Hitherto both have shown vision and moderation in their policy, and there has been a welcome improvement in Indian affairs since Lord Birkenhead took control of the India Office.

Trees in Ireland.

The Department of Lands and Agriculture has issued a short manual, entitled "Practical Hints on the Formation and Management of Plantations and Shelter Belts in Ireland." Not everybody realises the extent to which the rainfall is governed by arboreal vegetation. In India and China deserts have been fertilised by the planting of forests and swamps have been drained by their removal. Ireland is a small country, and forestry here cannot become one of "the wheels of public service," as it is in the land of Mr. Kipling's adoption. The appeal of the Department is rather to the farmer and landholder, whether small or large. Let everyone who has an unused plot of land, or a corner of a field which cannot conveniently be reached for tillage, pause and consider whether the value and appearance of his plot or corner would not be increased by the plantation of a tree or grove of trees. The initial expense is *nil*; the cost of upkeep is *nil*. Beyond a very occasional trimming, trees need little attention, and the man who plants them is enriching both the State and either himself or his descendants. Campbell College, Belfast, has an admirable custom whereby in every summer the Senior Prefect plants a tree on Speech Day. The result is that the grounds of the College already are charmingly wooded. Let anybody compare the present appearance of the grounds of the Salthill Hotel, in County Dublin, with their appearance even four years ago. On the other hand, note how the attractiveness of the Pine Forest, in the same county, has lessened as it has become less worthy of its name. A suggestion was made some years ago that, on a public holiday, every citizen should plant one tree. The suggestion was killed by its inherent impossibility, but it did good work in calling attention to a matter of vital necessity. Unfortunately, what is everybody's business is nobody's business, and the whole question has been allowed to lapse. We recommend this manual of the Department of Lands and Agriculture to all citizens. This generation has saddled posterity with the cost of an internecine struggle; here is an opportunity to discharge the debt easily and in full.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BILL.

LABOUR AND LIBERAL OPPOSITION.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.
WESTMINSTER, Tuesday.

There was a restful atmosphere about the House of Commons this afternoon, with little to indicate that later on there would open a big battle on the Unemployment Insurance Bill.

Mr. Churchill stated that although the imports of articles in anticipation of McKenna duties will entail a further loss of £1,000,000 the Government have decided not to make the duties retrospective. He made his statement in reply to several questions, and he pointed out that the present state of the law did not enable new duties to be collected on the mere authority of a resolution.

INSURANCE BILL.

Sir Arthur Steel Maitland, in moving the second reading of the Unemployment Insurance Bill, described it as a stop-gap measure, which should rightly be considered in relation to the system of social insurances of which it formed part. He was quite unable to understand the objection of the official Opposition, seeing that in default of the passage of the bill between 200,000 and 250,000 persons at present in receipt of extended benefit would find themselves in a position of embarrassment. There would have to be fresh legislation by June 30 next year, as otherwise the whole system of unemployment insurance would come automatically to an end. As things stood, the Insurance Fund was going into insolvency at the rate of eight millions a year, due solely to the Act passed by the Labour Government last year.

One important object of the bill was to relieve employers and employed of part of the burden put upon them by the new Pensions Bill. The contributions in both cases would be reduced by 2d. per week, a relief only rendered possible by the fact that the Chancellor of the Exchequer was prepared to contribute, during the period of the fund's insolvency, a sum of £3,900,000 per annum. The total debt, on the basis of the 1,300,000 on the unemployed register, would increase at the rate of £4,400,000, with a corresponding decrease as the level of unemployment fell. There were undoubtedly criticisms in regard to administration which deserved looking into, and he therefore proposed to set up, in the autumn, a committee representative of employers and employed and the public generally, to inquire into the principle, administration, and finance of the whole system.

REJECTION MOVED.

Mr. Thomas Shaw whole-heartedly opposed the bill, and moved its rejection. He argued that the Government were introducing this bill in an attempt to cover their own incapacity and iniquity. They were making reductions at the expense of the semi-starvation of those out of work. It was a shameful piece of business, and he would have nothing to do with it.

Support for Labour was forthcoming from the Liberal benches. Mr. Trevelyan Thomson declared that there was not the slightest trustworthy evidence that the Labour Party's Act of last year had been abused, and it was an insult to the working classes to add to their terrors by lengthening the waiting period.

Mr. Hayday added his voice to the chorus of condemnation. The Government, he said, would go down to posterity as a Government which produced a Budget for the rich, and an early funeral for the struggling, distressed unemployed.

A thoroughly bad bill, was Mr. Ramsay Macdonald's description of the measure. It was really an unblushing confession, on the part of the Government, that they were baffled by the unemployment problem, and they were seeking to cloud their ignominy by juggling with statistics.

By 278 votes to 141 the motion for the rejection of the bill was defeated and the measure got a second reading. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald's motion to send the bill to a Committee of the whole House was rejected by 285 votes to 135, and the House adjourned.

CELTIC PLAYS.

GLOOMY WELSH PERFORMANCES AT THE ABBEY.

At the Abbey Theatre, Dublin, last night two Welsh plays were given—"Cloudbreak," by Mr. A. O. Roberts, acted in English; and "Y Deithryn," by Mr. D. T. Davies, acted in Welsh. "Cloudbreak" is a play of unrelieved gloom. There are only three characters—an old woman (Miss E. Edwards), who is visited by an evil spirit who recalls to her everything in her past best calculated to make her miserable, and finally tries to tamper with her faith; her husband (a rather more robust character), and a mysterious beggar, whom they treat kindly, and he leaves them the blessing of peaceful minds in return for a gift of their last piece of money.

"Y Deithryn" is also of a gloomy trifle—the story of a Welsh farm and its people, and here there is a mysterious stranger, too, who proves to be a Gomar man they had all believed dead. Gomar and a shepherd had been suitors for the same girl, and Gomar, when she rejects him, kills her and disappears. On his return no one recognises him but his rival, the shepherd, who forgives him, and immediately after dies.

Songs, in Welsh, were sung by Miss Jennie Williams, in Scots Gaelic by Miss D. Robertson (Glasgow), and in Welsh by Mdme Lela Magan.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Theatre Royal—"Our Cabaret," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"Cloudburst," and "Y Diethryn," 8 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"The Courting of Mary Doyle," 7 and 9 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"The Dawn of a To-morrow," 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"Broken Laws," 2.30, 5.0, 7.10, and 9.20 p.m.
Grafton Cinema—"Salvation Hunters."
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"K—The Unknown," 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
La Scala Esplanade Dances, Woodbrook (near Bray), 8.0 to 11.0 p.m.
The Senate, 12 noon.
Dail Eireann, 12 noon.
Railway Tribunal City Hall, 11 a.m.
Dublin Union Commissioners, 11 a.m.
Celtic Congress, 11 a.m.
Dublin Circuit Court, 11 a.m.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

It is officially announced that the King and Queen will give two garden parties at Buckingham Palace this month. They will be the last Royal entertainments at the Palace this season, and a very large attendance of guests is expected, including the numerous foreign Royalties at present in London.

Yesterday the Queen visited the Hospital for Women in Soho square, London, and formally opened the new ward for the reception of paying patients.

Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles were entertained at dinner by Mrs. Mars at 6 Grosvenor square, London, on Monday night, when the Irish guests present included the Earl and Countess of Cavan, the Earl of Caledon, Earl Beatty, the Knight of Kerry and Lady Mildred FitzGerald and Lady Annaly.

Prince and Princess Asaka of Japan have arrived in Paris. They will start shortly for a tour through Norway and Sweden, and will return to London at the end of next month. Among the latest arrivals in London are Prince Peter and Princess Eugenie of Greece, Count and Countess de Merode-Westerloo, who are visiting Prince and Princess Reginald de Croy; Vicomte de Asseca, Comtesse de Limur and Count Roger Raczynski.

The Marchioness of Donegall and her son, the Marquis of Donegall, have left London for Paris, and will remain abroad for the next few months. Viscountess Wimborne, who has been staying at Woking, has returned to London. The Marchioness Curzon of Kedleston left London for Paris on Monday, but will return on Saturday. Lord and Lady Plunket have returned to London from the country.

The Hon. Ernest and Mrs. Guinness, with a party, have left Cowes on their yacht, Fantome II., for Deauville. Mr. Kenelm L. Guinness is on board his steam yacht, Adventuress, in the Solent. A number of well-known yachtsmen has been seen there this week, and many others are expected for the regatta on August 3rd.

Sir John Keane has left Dublin for England. Captain and Mrs. W. Long, Captain Wakefield, Colonel and Mrs. Gibbon, Mrs. Cairns, Captain Darling and Captain Whitman were among yesterday's departures for England. Mrs. Gaisford St. Lawrence has returned to Howth Castle from London. Major and Mrs. Murdock have arrived in Dublin for Liverpool.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place in September, of George D. Clancy, son of Thomas G. Clancy and Mrs. Clancy, Fernciffe, Kimmage road, Dublin, and Winefrid Mary, daughter of the late William Scally and Mrs. Scally, Moyliss Hse., Rosscommon.

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place in August next, between Henry Edward Burke, Manager, Hibernian Bank, Kilkenny, and Fannie, fourth daughter of the late Thomas F. Murphy and Mrs. Murphy, Club House, Kilkenny.

A marriage will take place shortly between Dr. Maurice Broderick, Kingstown, and Kathleen Patricia, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Mullins, Salisbury, S. Rhodesia.

Switzers are now offering a New Collection of Model Hats and the Copies at almost half price; also a new lot of beautiful Felts in the latest Pastel Shades. Sale Prices, 10s. 6d., 12s. 11d., and 15s. 11d.

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Departures:—Major and Mrs. Stafford O'Brien, Mrs. Arthur Stirling, Mrs. Perceval Maxwell, Miss Alexander, G. E. F. Alexander, Dermot Vanston, G. G. Stevens, J. Hoey, Edward Burke, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bailey, Dr. P. J. C. McDonnell, Archdeacon of Limerick, Mrs. J. T. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lawlor, Rick O'Connell, Dr. J. Sweeney, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Herzog.
Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

McBirney and Co.'s Great Annual Summer Sale this and following days. Write for Price List.

The Mansfield Sisters are offering exceptional bargains during their Sale in Millinery, Gowns and Sports wear.—28 Wicklow street.

Carpets Shaken and Cleaned by most approved method.—Hatty, Ltd., 5 Dame street.

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Genuine Bargains to be had at the Great Sale of Ladies' High-Class Clothing, Furs and Outfitting now on at "Our Boys'" House, 24 Wicklow street.

Before going on holiday send clocks for overhauling to John Morton, Nassau street. They will be in order when you return.

TO LADIES.—Elastic Stockings, Belts and Medical Appliances. Special department for ladies on 1st floor. Female attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton st.

Sale (Late or Setting) of Costumes to order from 5½ guineas. Ladies' own materials made up. Furs remodelled. 8 Molesworth street.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A large anti-cyclone is spreading slowly from the Atlantic over the British Isles. The weather will be mainly fair and warm, except in the North-West, where showers will occur locally.

Ireland.—Wind mainly between N. and N.W.; light or moderate; fair; visibility good; temperature moderate or rather warm.

S.W. Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to S.W. Ireland; Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Wind N.W. to W.; moderate; fair; visibility mainly moderate to good; sea slight or moderate.

N.W. Seaboard.—Wind W.; fresh locally; fair, but local showers; visibility moderate to good; sea moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

| July | Bar. | Thermometer: Temp. 10 p.m. | Max. | Min. | Grass

ONDON LETTER.

BUY BRITISH GOODS.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

"Buy British Goods" campaign,
l by the President of the Board of
is likely to make headway; for
ody appreciates the fact that our
is in a very bad way and needs all
elp that it can obtain. Striking
could be obtained if people would
nly British goods; for, with a
ation of forty-three millions, we last
urchased from abroad £200,000,000
of manufactured articles. If this
ty of goods had been of British
facture, employment would have
provided for seven hundred and fifty
d workers at a wage of four pounds
eek, and, with this addition to the
of the employed, many others would
inual work, so that the unemploy-
question would have been solved.
Jellicoe, presiding at the inaugural
g of the Self-Supporting Empire
e to-day, said that it was sound
n sense to demand Empire products
would develop Dominion markets
ring benefit and employment to our
people.

Coal Crisis.

special meeting of the Cabinet to
er the coal situation was held this
ng, when there was a long discussion
e methods to be adopted likely to
an early settlement of the dispute.
overnment has already been in touch
both parties with the idea of pro-
a statement of the case from both
and the parties are now preparing
ost complete details possible for its
beration. In official circles there is
hope that arrangements will be
to bring the parties together by
week, and also that the trouble will
ttled by negotiation. Indian affairs,
to the speech by Lord Birkenhead
House of Lords this afternon, were
efore the Cabinet, and Lord Reading
nvited to be present.

neral Strike.

ile hopeful that the coal trouble will
justed in a satisfactory manner, the
inment is preparing to deal with the
ble emergency of a general strike.
he machinery is ready to be called
peration at a few hours' notice
the Emergency Powers Act, and
irst indication that the Government
pared to take control will be the
of a number of regulations im-
ling coal and other stocks with a
to rationing industries as far as
ble. The machinery for dealing with
and milk supplies has been thoroughly
ft, and can be brought into use, if
sary, without delay.

Trades Union Congress.

ere is to be a meeting of the Trade
n Congress on Friday, and it will
most important meeting from more
s of view than one. In trade union
s of the moderate type there is no
pt to disguise the indignation with
h the plans of Mr. Cook, of the
ers' Federation, are regarded. It is
dea that all control shall be taken
of the hands of the properly con-
ed authorities, and that the miners,
railwaymen, the shipping men and
ngineers shall make common cause at
moment when he likes to sound the
pet. This is not the view of the
e Union Congress, and it is probable
it will assert itself in an unexpected
tion on Friday. It certainly will
er support to the mining industry,
that support will be on constitutional

Irish Club Dinner.

would be a most interesting develop-
if out of the dinner at the Irish
last night came arrangements for a
to Southern Ireland by the Duke and
ess of York. The suggestion was
e by more than one of the seventeen
ers last night, and Sir James Percy
was one of them, said that the recep
accorded to the Royal pair would be
warmer than that given to them in
ast last year. Such a visit, however,
ot take place unless an invitation is
coming from the Free State Govern-
and meets with the approval of the
and the British Government. It is
to say from the way "For he's a
good fellow" was taken up by the
s last night that such a visitor to
and would be welcomed, particularly
companied by the Duchess.

at Last.

e long drought was broken in London
morning by a steady downpour, last-
several hours. The rain gave great
ht to the gardening section of the
ity; gardens and lawns had
ot dried up, and the prospect for the
mn was poor, indeed. A fine crop
pples had been expected this year in
t, but, owing to the lack of rain, the
g fruit was falling heavily. It is
ed, however, that the rain will save
remainder. Following upon the rain
day was rather uncertain, but there
e many bright intervals, while it was
warm.

Wheat Crop.

wheat crop in excess of last year's
d is assured, unless there is a spell
bad weather between now and the
vest. This applies not only to the
he crop, but also to the whole of
ope; for the fine, dry weather has
ended over the greater part of the
tinent, and wheat particularly has
efited. The uncertain factor is the
ent of the Russian crop. It is stated
t there will be a surplus for export,
Russian wheat has been actually sold
October shipment, though little has
n disposed of through the London
rket. It is improbable that there can
any great surplus, however, in view
the known dearth of agricultural
hinery, while transport arrangements
also clearly of a primitive kind.

d Balfour.

ord Balfour retains his vigour in a
t extraordinary manner. Old as he is,
is also to take up a new post under
Government by acting as Chairman of
new Standing Committee set up by
Cabinet to collect and investigate
ntific, statistical, industrial and com-
cial information of national import-
e, in order that it may be available
the use of Government departments,
trades and professions covered. It is
that Lord Balfour looks forward with
yment to this task, having long taken
een interest in such questions.

aterloo Bridge.

t is by no means certain that Waterloo
dge will be demolished, although it
understood when the temporary
ucture was built that a new permanent
dge would be built. A report has been
pared conveying the views of the Royal
ademy, the Royal Institute of British
chitects, the Society for the Protection
Ancient Buildings and several eminent
sons urging that the old bridge could,
d should, be repaired. It is claimed
t on technical, artistic and traffic
ounds the destruction of the bridge
uld be unjustified, and it is hoped that
special tribunal will be set up to con-
er the matter before any irrevocable
cision is reached. A strong case cer-
inly has been made out in favour of
eservation by under-pinning the defec-
e piers, and further consideration,
subtless, will be given to the question
the authorities, in this case the London
unty Council.

Germany.

Germany paid almost three times as many
xes in 1924 as she did in 1914, according to
ding industrial organisations in Germany.

IMPROVEMENT OF ROADS.

£3,820,000 TO BE SPENT.

WORK WILL TAKE THREE YEARS.

MOTOR LORRY TRAFFIC.

RESTRICTED LADEN WEIGHT.

IN Dail Eireann last night Mr. S. Burke, Minister for Local Government, announced that he had prepared a comprehensive scheme of road improvement.

The scheme, which will be started as soon as the Minister for Finance has sanctioned it, will cost about £3,820,000, and will take three years to complete. It is proposed to make 1,500 miles of trunk roads suitable for modern traffic. In some places asphalt or concrete may be used, but chiefly tar-bitumen macadam will be employed.

The Minister proposes to issue an Order restricting the laden weight of new motor lorries to nine tons. Vehicles with a laden weight of over nine tons and already in use will not be prohibited from using the roads, but they will be licensed and subjected to special charges. Steps will be taken to compel the owners of horse-drawn vehicles to use wheels with wide rims.

MINISTER'S STATEMENT.

EXPENDITURE NEVER LIBERAL

Mr. Burke said that it was frequently stated that the transport problem was due to the growth of mechanical road traffic. That was but part of the truth, for at no time in the history of the country could it be said that there was a liberal expenditure on road maintenance.

Even as late as the year 1914 the average cost of maintenance to the ratepayers was less than £15 per mile, while in 1924 though wages had risen in the meantime by about 150 per cent., the expenditure on road maintenance averaged in local rates less than £30 per mile—a rise of about 100 per cent. on the 1914 figure. In fourteen of the twenty-seven administrative counties the percentage increase was even less. To tar a road to-day cost about £120 per mile for a width of twelve feet.

The roads were not in a condition to withstand heavy mechanical traffic, or even the lighter motor car—the latter injured the crust, while the former injured both the crust and the foundation. Some years ago a scheme of motor transport for agricultural districts was projected, but the proposal fell through because the roads selected were unsuitable. No such consideration in recent years had retarded the development of road transport, although, in fact, most of the roads were quite unsuitable for heavy mechanical traffic.

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The conditions in which Indian citizens lived elsewhere than in India caused him grave anxiety. He asked other parts of the Empire to remember how profoundly this problem affected the relations between the Empire and India. The Empire owed a great debt to Lord Reading for his prudence, circumspection, judgment and patience. This speech would not satisfy elements in India which were determined to remain dissatisfied. But he appealed to them sincerely for good will and co-operation. It was the purpose of the Government to labour resolutely, tirelessly and wholeheartedly for the well-being of India.

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ROBBERY FROM VATICAN.

HOW THE JEWELS WERE RECOVERED.

ROME, Tuesday.

The recovery of the jewellery stolen from St. Peter's was due to the astuteness of a police officer, who pretended to be a merchant from New York with plenty of money, who had come to Italy to buy jewellery at low prices, due to the depreciation of the value of the lira.

The robber fell into the trap, and took the officer to his shoemaker's shop, displayed his goods, and started negotiating. In the meantime eight detectives forced an entrance, and arrested the robber, who confessed.

All the articles have been returned to Cardinal Merry del Val. Several men detained in connection with the theft have been placed under formal arrest on a charge of complicity.—(Exchange.)

LATE MISS E. PALLES.

MEDAL FOR MATHEMATICS AT CLONGOWES.

Miss Elizabeth Palles, of St. Brellans, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, who died on January 20 last, daughter of the late Andrew Palles, and niece of the late Right Hon. Christopher Palles, Lord Chief Baron of Ireland, left personal estate in her own disposition in England and the Irish Free State, valued at £47,924. Miss Palles left:

£300 to her trustees on trust for investment, and to apply the income for the presentation of a medal to be called the "Palles Medal," each year, to encourage proficiency in Mathematics at Clongowes College, stating that this prize was instituted by her late uncle, the Lord Chief Baron Palles, and that she had continued it since his death, and desired that it should be perpetuated; £100 to the Catholic Protection and Rescue Society, Dublin; £100 to the Jesuit Community at Milltown, Co. Dublin; £50 to the Parish Priest of Dundrum, Co. Dublin, for Masses, and £50 for a like purpose to the parish in which she should be residing at her death; £200 for the upkeep of family monuments in Glasnevin Cemetery.

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INDIA'S POLITICAL PROBLEMS.

DIARCHY AND THE ARMY.

LORD BIRKENHEAD'S REVIEW.

Lord Birkenhead, in the House of Lords last night, reviewed the political, economic and administrative conditions in India. Owing to strict economy in administration, he said, the financial position must be pronounced satisfactory. The trade revival still continued.

Political reforms were confronted with great difficulties, and the Indianisation of the Army would form one of the subjects of inquiry by a Royal Commission.

Lord Olivier asked for a statement of the Government's policy in regard to Indian constitutional questions, and said that he hoped that the Government would hold out some hope of further concessions to the reformers.

Lord Birkenhead replied. He said that he must make it plain at the outset that there had been no decisions reached in the discussions between the Governor-General and himself. He was not, therefore, announcing, or purporting to announce, decisions or conclusions. He was merely attempting a survey of the impressions which his tenure of office had stamped on his mind.

ADMINISTRATIVE ECONOMY.

The financial position must be pronounced satisfactory, because of strict economy in administration. For the last two years the Government of India had actively pursued the policy of retrenchment in military and other expenditure advocated by the Incheape Committee. There was a continuance of the trade revival. The recovery of India's export trade had not been associated with a corresponding increase in imports of merchandise. He said plainly that a future of incalculable prosperity awaited India when she learned fully to realise and value her agricultural kingdom. He and the Governor-General had discussed it, and hoped to contribute to its further development.

THE POLITICAL PROBLEM.

Passing to political conditions, the experiment of 1919 was made in an atmosphere of post-war idealism. He himself was never a particularly enthusiastic supporter of Mr. Montagu's policy; but he admired his idealism and courage. The problem was one of prodigious difficulty. It was to accommodate the minds of the East to those of the West. History had no parallel for such a partnership. The Act of 1919 was admittedly fluid and experimental. They would not be diverted from its obligations by tactics of reckless impatience. The door of acceleration was not open to menace; still less would it be stormed by violence.

His impression was that the tactics hitherto pursued by the most highly organised party in India were calculated to forward the cause of reaction. The Act had been confronted with a blank wall of negation. India was not an entity. The great difficulty was communal differences. No Indian leader advocated our withdrawal from India. He could not say that reform had failed. It had never been given a chance. But not all the resources of a great and sophisticated party had availed to destroy this experiment. In Madras the transitional Constitution had worked with a great measure of success. In Bombay the Swarajist Party was strongest in numbers. In Bengal progress was made and solid achievements were recorded, but there was a possibility at the next election of an absolute Swarajist majority.

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

HIS ADVICE TO HIS MINISTERS.

On the motion for the adjournment of the Dail last night Mr. Thomas Johnson called attention to the report of the speech which the Governor-General made at the dinner given by the Irish Club in London on Monday night. Mr. Healy was represented as saying:—

"It is a modern jargon to say that the King must be advised by his Ministers; but I have had the audacity to tell my Ministers that they had better take the advice of an old man. This idea that the Sovereign has not the power of initiative or the power of remonstrance or insistence on reconsideration is, in my opinion, a greater error than the notion that feudal tyranny can be tolerated any longer."

Mr. Johnson said that he did not wish it to be inferred that they regarded as jargon the article of the Constitution which said that the Governor-General acted on the advice of the Executive Council. They might find the quotation of that statement of their constitutional position a few years hence an obstacle to their constitutional development.

MINISTER'S REPLY.

Mr. O'Higgins, Minister for Home Affairs, replying in the absence of President Cosgrave, said that, if they had any desire to be flippant, it would be open to them to say that the Executive Council did not advise the Governor-General to make that particular speech, and consequently should not be asked to answer for it or comment on it in the Dail.

The official actions of the Governor-General of the Irish Free State were, of course, governed by Article 51 of the Constitution. Executive acts done by him were done on the advice of the Executive Council, and not otherwise. There had been no departure from the spirit or the letter of that article of the Constitution, and he could safely guarantee, on behalf of the Executive Council, that there would be no such departure. Something turned on the use of the word "advice."

The Executive Council received advice from many people. Deputy Johnson himself had been good enough to advise very frequently, and occasionally, with benefit to themselves and the public, they had acted on that advice. Frequently they had not so acted.

Mr. Johnson, with benefit to the public. (Laughter.)

Mr. O'Higgins said that the Governor-General or any other citizen could tender advice to Ministers and to people who were not Ministers, and it could be accepted or rejected. But the word "advice" in Article 51 was used to mean a signification of the decisions of the Executive Council on matters of policy. If such advice were not acted on a constitutional crisis of the first magnitude would have arisen. They had had no such crisis, and there was no probability of one arising.

MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING.

He suggested that Mr. Johnson was attaching unwarranted importance to a humorous remark uttered by the Governor-General. There was no need to raise any discussion about the divine right of Kings or anything of that sort. Article 51 of the Constitution defined the question so far as the Free State was concerned. If from time to time the Executive Council received advice from the Governor-General, using the word "advice" in the looser sense, it was open to the Executive Council in its wisdom or unwisdom to accept or reject that advice: the Constitution did not enter into it.

IRISH RAILWAY LOSS.

RECEIPTS FOR SIX MONTHS DOWN BY £450,000.

The decline in the traffic receipts on the Irish railways during the first six months of the year, compared with the first half of 1924, amounts to £450,000, of which sum over £307,000 is due to the falling off of the goods revenue. The figures are:—

Great Southern.

	1924.	1925.	Decrease.
	£	£	£
Passengers ...	1,009,043	918,886	90,157
Goods	1,300,042	1,157,259	232,783
Total ...	2,309,085	2,076,145	322,940

Great Northern.

	£	£	£
Passengers ...	448,950	411,700	37,250
Goods	530,450	460,800	69,650
Total ...	979,400	872,500	106,900

County Down.

	£	£	£
Passengers ...	112,005	96,410	15,675
Goods	34,148	29,110	5,038
Total ...	146,233	125,520	20,713

LAST WEEK'S FIGURES.

	1924.	1925.	Decrease.
	£	£	£
Gt. Southern	103,819	91,247	12,572
Gt. Northern	45,800	40,500	5,300
Co. Down ...	7,311	6,737	574

(A further reference to the loss of traffic will be found in our financial page.)

CLONMEL CORPORATION AND DR. MANNIX.

MOTION TO CONFER FREEDOM POSTPONED.

A special meeting of the Clonmel Corporation was held on Monday night—the Mayor (Mr. James Reidy) presiding—to consider a motion in the name of Mr. Cronin that the freedom of the borough should be conferred on Archbishop Mannix.

Mr. Cronin's motion was seconded by Mr. Nugent.

Mr. Tobin proposed, as an amendment, that the motion should be adjourned for three months.

Mr. Stapleton seconded the amendment, and it was carried by thirteen votes to seven.

DUMPING CONDEMNED.

ADVERTISING "DRIVE" TO SELL IRISH GOODS ADVOCATED.

An advertising "drive," supported by the Government, to promote the sale of Irish goods was recommended by Mr. Penthony, the manager of Paterson's match factory, at a meeting held at 14 North Great George's street, Dublin, last night, under the auspices of the Association of St. Nicholas, to consider means of checking the growing unemployment of girls in Dublin.

Mr. Alfred Byrne, the chairman, said that Paterson's factory had sufficient machinery to supply matches not only to the whole of Ireland, but to other countries as well. The factory was only producing a fraction of what it could supply. In 1921 the number of workers employed at the factory was 420, but since then the number had fallen to 190. It was deplorable that Belgian and Italian matches made under very sweated conditions should be dumped here. He thought that a preferential rate should be given to the home article to enable it to survive unfair competition.

The woollen industry also merited attention. Since December, 1922, the number employed in this industry had decreased by 1,292.

Mr. Fentony said that the failure to support Irish-made matches was particularly observable among the country shopkeepers.

It was decided to appoint at the next meeting a committee which would push the movement forward.

ANOTHER SHOCK FOR JAPAN.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

TOKIO, Tuesday.

Following on a severe shock in the Kimnaki district on Saturday, which produced many fissures, a severe earthquake occurred at Nagoya at 1.45 this morning, and shook all Western Japan, centreing in the Hida Mountains.

The terrified inhabitants rushed out of their houses, and spent the night in the open. No damage, and no casualties have been reported.

THREE BIG SHOWS.

IRISH MINISTER AT CHESTER.

£16,000 IN PRIZES.

RECORD CATTLE ENTRY.

INTEREST in agriculture is increasing in Ireland and Great Britain. Yesterday the Tullamore Show was revived, and received good support, while at Cork, where the Munster Agricultural Show was opened, here was a big entry and a number of new features.

There was also a record entry for the annual Show of the Royal Agricultural Society of England; which opened yesterday at Chester. It was attended by Mr. P. J. Hogan, the Free State Minister of Agriculture. The prize money amounted to over £16,000.

Our Agricultural Correspondent below gives his impressions of the Chester Show, while special reports of the Cork and Tullamore Shows appear on Page 11.

CHESTER'S RECORD SHOW.

AN IRISH CHAMPION.

(FROM OUR AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.)

CHESTER, Tuesday.

For the opening of the 86th annual exhibition at Saltney, Chester, the Royal Agricultural Society of England were favoured by fine, if somewhat blustery, weather. Rain overnight had freshened vegetation and laid the dust, thus making a tour of the extensive showyard enjoyable. An area of 160 acres, well planned, has been given over to the purposes of the show, and simply to glance at the various exhibits takes a considerable time.

The variety and extent of the entries prove how local conditions throughout the country are catered for by breeds to suit them specially. Another feature of interest is the way in which the exhibits are brought out. No effort has been spared by exhibitors to bring their stock to the highest pitch of perfection, and the animals, as a rule, are well shown. Each of the principal breeds also have involved office here for propaganda purposes. There is also accommodation for the Farmers' Club and the National Farmers' Union.

It is thirty-two years since the Society visited Chester, and with prizes amounting in value to £16,411 and a good attendance to-day, the fixture promises to be a great success. Horses total 658, cattle 1,565, goats 56, sheep 711, pigs 932, a total of 3,922. At Leicester a year ago the figures were—Horses 768, cattle 1,302, goats 60, sheep 633, pigs 1,212—total 3,975. These figures are exclusive of double entries. The cattle entry constitutes a record, being 18 more than that at Cambridge three years ago, when the previous largest entry was made in this section.

The strongest classes numerically are those for dairy shorthorns, British Friesians, Red Polls, and Jerseys. While the judging was in progress, these breeds attracted much attention, and the placings of the prize-winning dairy shorthorns caused a good deal of comment.

IRISH VISITORS.

The convenience of the venue attracted several visitors from Ireland. Among those noticed were the Free State Minister for Agriculture (Mr. P. J. Hogan), Mr. D. Twomey, and Mr. R. Lynch, Inspector of the Department of Agriculture; Mr. Pimlott, Chief Inspector, Northern Ministry of Agriculture; Mr. R. Wright, Carlow; Mr. W. F. H. Watson, Clonmel; Prof. Drew, Royal Albert College, Glasnevin; Mr. John Irwin, Portadown; Mr. W. Mitchell, Belmullet; and Mr. E. J. Beaumont-Nesbitt, H.M.I.

In addition to the livestock section, there are shows of poultry, dairy produce, flowers and forestry. The British Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, the University College of North Wales Agricultural Department, and the Cheshire School of Agriculture have useful educational exhibits. In this respect it may be truly said that Ireland has little to learn except, perhaps, in regard to the model orchard.

DAIRY SHORTHORNS.

Dairy Shorthorns made a remarkable show, and a notable feature was the renewed success of the Earl of Bessborough's Polonius in the age bull class. Though eight years old, this roan son of Bessborough Senator shows great bloom, and has a well-balanced frame. He was afterwards declared the male champion. Second prize went to Fred Fisher's Kelmscott Imperialist, by Crewe of Menthe. Mark Fenwick's Foxhill Royal Pearl was third.

The best of the two-year-old dairy shorthorn bulls was J. M. Strickland's Baineese Lord Broadhooks 6th, a thick, blocky, good-quartered white. For older yearlings first prize went to F. W. Morley's Riddestone Pirate, while a strong class for junior yearlings was headed by Viscount Fielding's gay-looking roan, Streatston Gold Prince 2nd.

DAIRY SHORTHORN COWS.

Dairy Shorthorn cows were remarkably good in quality. As to conformation, they were not always all that could be wished for; but they were great pail-fillers, and carried splendid udders. This seemed to weigh more with the judges than shapes and milking qualities combined. Otherwise it was difficult to reconcile some of the decisions. First prize for older dairy Shorthorn cows in milk went to T. L. Martin's Princess Gwynne, a great-bagged white, by Moresby Victory. She also won the female championship. An excellent uniform lot came out to try conclusions in the class for four and five year-old dairy Shorthorn cows in milk. The highest honour went to T. L. Martin's Premier Beauty, a matron of great symmetry and substance, by Chaulden Premier. She was later reserved for the female championship. Four-year-old cows in milk were headed by the Duke of Westminster's Eaton Belle; and that for heifers in milk by W. Hayne's Holmelacy Daisy 9th.

Ordinary Shorthorns were remarkably even, and a feature was the success of Clipper Blood. The male championship went to George Swift, Evesham, for Haselor Clipper Knight, a great white, by Collynie Clipper King. A. J. Marshall's Collynie Royal Leader, a red roan, by Balcaim White Eagle, was reserved. Other leading bulls were the Hon. Bruce Ward's Balcairn Eagle, by Earl of Kingston; Major Morrizon's Basildon Royal 2nd; Mrs Pumphrey's Hindley White Ensign, and Sir G. A. Wells' Rickford Eclipse for older shorthorn cows in milk, Joseph Harris led, with Water Lily 6th.

For three-year-old heifers, Sir Cecil Chubb led with Princess Margaras, a sweet looking roan, that was later awarded Female Championship. Sir H. Leon's stylish two-year-old, Alnwick Sweet—Sweet Missie, was reserved. For older yearling heifers, the Prince of Wales led with Clunsland Orange Blossom 3rd, while in the younger class L. V. Garland's Rowan Nonpareil was first.

In the Hereford Section, the Male Championship went to W. Smith's two-year-old, Leen Lionel, reserve going to W. G. Uarmer's old bull, Aldersend Nonsuch. The Female Championship went to Sir Maurice Levy's Glen Dasher, James Pryce's Amions being reserved. In a small section for Aberdeen-Angus, the Breed Championship went to J. Cridlan's cow, Eve 3rd of Maresmore. She also won the Female Championship, and reserve for Breed Championship went to the champion bull, William T. Elgey's Geordie of Goodwood.

In a big section for British Friesians, the Male Championship went to Lord Rayleigh's Marthus, while the Female Championship went to A. Weightman's Hamels Empress. Kerries made a nice show, and some animals of Irish breeding figured in the prize list. The championship went to L. Currie for a bull, Hattingley Arthur, by Waterville Lord.

In the Hunter Section, the champion medal for mares four years old and upwards went to Moore and Unwin for Cavallini.

There are fine displays of sheep, pigs, and poultry.

WILD FIRE SCENES IN GLASGOW.

£250,000 DAMAGE.

KELVIN HALL AND CHURCH DESTROYED.

WHOLE STREETS INVOLVED

Kelvin Hall, the well-known Glasgow exhibition centre, was burned to the ground last night in a fire which spread over a large area of the city. With it fell Kelvingrove U.F. Church, a replica in miniature of Rheims Cathedral, fully quarter of a mile away. Whole streets were involved, and many dwellinghouses were set on fire.

At an early hour this morning the fire was still raging, and hundreds of firemen remained on duty. No lives were lost. The damage is estimated at over £250,000.

The fire originated in Kelvin Hall, and soon the whole street in which it stood—Blantyre street—was involved. Hundreds of women and children rushed from their dwellings, screaming and yelling, and only the promptitude of the police saved a panic. How the occupants managed to get clear of the danger zone in the height of the excitement was remarkable.

While firemen were fighting the flames in the vicinity of Kelvin street, it was learned that the U.F. Church, a quarter of a mile away, in Kelvingrove street, had caught fire. There was a high wind, and it is surmised that pieces of burning timber were blown overhead and alighted on the roof of the church.

The beadle and others rushed into the church to secure a number of articles, but had to beat a hasty retreat. When the fire brigade arrived the roof was ablaze and the interior was a roaring furnace. Two huge towers fronting the street crashed to the ground, and soon the roof collapsed.

Huge clouds of burning material were being driven overhead, and rows of residential flats caught fire. Firemen were scurried from spot to spot to try to keep the outbreaks under control. In Kelvingrove street, opposite the burning church, over a dozen dwellings were alight at the same time, while round the various exhibits takes a considerable time.

The variety and extent of the entries prove how local conditions throughout the country are catered for by breeds to suit them specially. Another feature of interest is the way in which the exhibits are brought out. No effort has been spared by exhibitors to bring their stock to the highest pitch of perfection, and the animals, as a rule, are well shown. Each of the principal breeds also have involved office here for propaganda purposes. There is also accommodation for the Farmers' Club and the National Farmers' Union.

It is thirty-two years since the Society visited Chester, and with prizes amounting in value to £16,411 and a good attendance to-day, the fixture promises to be a great success. Horses total 658, cattle 1,565, goats 56, sheep 711, pigs 932, a total of 3,922. At Leicester a year ago the figures were—Horses 768, cattle 1,302, goats 60, sheep 633, pigs 1,212—total 3,975. These figures are exclusive of double entries. The cattle entry constitutes a record, being 18 more than that at Cambridge three years ago, when the previous largest entry was made in this section.

The strongest classes numerically are those for dairy shorthorns, British Friesians, Red Polls, and Jerseys. While the judging was in progress, these breeds attracted much attention, and the placings of the prize-winning dairy shorthorns caused a good deal of comment.

IRISH VISITORS.

The convenience of the venue attracted several visitors from Ireland. Among those noticed were the Free State Minister for Agriculture (Mr. P. J. Hogan), Mr. D. Twomey, and Mr. R. Lynch, Inspector of the Department of Agriculture; Mr. Pimlott, Chief Inspector, Northern Ministry of Agriculture; Mr. R. Wright, Carlow; Mr. W. F. H. Watson, Clonmel; Prof. Drew, Royal Albert College, Glasnevin; Mr. John Irwin, Portadown; Mr. W. Mitchell, Belmullet; and Mr. E. J. Beaumont-Nesbitt, H.M.I.

In addition to the livestock section, there are shows of poultry, dairy produce, flowers and forestry. The British Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, the University College of North Wales Agricultural Department, and the Cheshire School of Agriculture have useful educational exhibits. In this respect it may be truly said that Ireland has little to learn except, perhaps, in regard to the model orchard.

DAIRY SHORTHORNS.

Dairy Shorthorns made a remarkable show, and a notable feature was the renewed success of the Earl of Bessborough's Polonius in the age bull class. Though eight years old, this roan son of Bessborough Senator shows great bloom, and has a well-balanced frame. He was afterwards declared the male champion. Second prize went to Fred Fisher's Kelmscott Imperialist, by Crewe of Menthe. Mark Fenwick's Foxhill Royal Pearl was third.

The best of the two-year-old dairy shorthorn bulls was J. M. Strickland's Baineese Lord Broadhooks 6th, a thick, blocky, good-quartered white. For older yearlings first prize went to F. W. Morley's Riddestone Pirate, while a strong class for junior yearlings was headed by Viscount Fielding's gay-looking roan, Streatston Gold Prince 2nd.

DAIRY SHORTHORN COWS.

Dairy Shorthorn cows were remarkably good in quality. As to conformation, they were not always all that could be wished for; but they were great pail-fillers, and carried splendid udders. This seemed to weigh more with the judges than shapes and milking qualities combined. Otherwise it was difficult to reconcile some of the decisions. First prize for older dairy Shorthorn cows in milk went to T. L. Martin's Princess Gwynne, a great-bagged white, by Moresby Victory. She also won the female championship. An excellent uniform lot came out to try conclusions in the class for four and five year-old dairy Shorthorn cows in milk. The highest honour went to T. L. Martin's Premier Beauty, a matron of great symmetry and substance, by Chaulden Premier. She was later reserved for the female championship. Four-year-old cows in milk were headed by the Duke of Westminster's Eaton Belle; and that for heifers in milk by W. Hayne's Holmelacy Daisy 9th.

Ordinary Shorthorns were remarkably even, and a feature was the success of Clipper Blood. The male championship went to George Swift, Evesham, for Haselor Clipper Knight, a great white, by Collynie Clipper King. A. J. Marshall's Collynie Royal Leader, a red roan, by Balcaim White Eagle, was reserved. Other leading bulls were the Hon. Bruce Ward's Balcairn Eagle, by Earl of Kingston; Major Morrizon's Basildon Royal 2nd; Mrs Pumphrey's Hindley White Ensign, and Sir G. A. Wells' Rickford Eclipse for older shorthorn cows in milk, Joseph Harris led, with Water Lily 6th.

For three-year-old heifers, Sir Cecil Chubb led with Princess Margaras, a sweet looking roan, that was later awarded Female Championship. Sir H. Leon's stylish two-year-old, Alnwick Sweet—Sweet Missie, was reserved. For older yearling heifers, the Prince of Wales led with Clunsland Orange Blossom 3rd, while in the younger class L. V. Garland's Rowan Nonpareil was first.

In the Hereford Section, the Male Championship went to W. Smith's two-year-old, Leen Lionel, reserve going to W. G. Uarmer's old bull, Aldersend Nonsuch. The Female Championship went to Sir Maurice Levy's Glen Dasher, James Pryce's Amions being reserved. In a small section for Aberdeen-Angus, the Breed Championship went to J. Cridlan's cow, Eve 3rd of Maresmore. She also won the Female Championship, and reserve for Breed Championship went to the champion bull, William T. Elgey's Geordie of Goodwood.

In a big section for British Friesians, the Male Championship went to Lord Rayleigh's Marthus, while the Female Championship went to A. Weightman's Hamels Empress. Kerries made a nice show, and some animals of Irish breeding figured in the prize list. The championship went to L. Currie for a bull, Hattingley Arthur, by Waterville Lord.

In the Hunter Section, the champion medal for mares four years old and upwards went to Moore and Unwin for Cavallini.

There are fine displays of sheep, pigs, and poultry.

BRAY OR BRI CHULANN?

MATTER TO BE DISCUSSED BY NEW COUNCIL.

The Chairman of the Bray Urban Council last night ruled out of order, on the ground of insufficient notice, a proposal that the town should again be called Bray officially, and not Bri Chulann, as at present. The Chairman said that the matter could come before the next meeting.

COUNTY COUNCIL CHAIRMAN.

Mr. David Frame was congratulated on his election as Chairman of the Wicklow County Council. Mr. Frame said that he understood that he was the first Scotsman to be elected Chairman of an Irish County Council.

RATE COLLECTOR'S FOUNDAGE.

The former Council granted the township rate collector an increase of a penny on his poundage of 4d. Last night it was decided to accept the proposal of the Minister for Local Government that the increase should be a halfpenny.

AN ANCIENT MONUMENT.

The Commissioners of Public Works informed the Council that they were willing to become guardians of the ancient Church of Raheen Chirg in the new park on Bray Head, with a view to its preservation. The Council agreed.

FRENCH BUNGALOWS.

M. P. Landru, representing the Establissements Fouquet (France), asked permission to erect bungalow houses constructed mainly of asbestos panels. He said that his firm could erect three-roomed houses, with scullery, for £180 each, within a period of six weeks. The price did not include sewers, gas or water. He was asked to submit plans.

MIKADO'S SON IN LONDON.

Prince Chichibu, second son of the Mikado, arrivedl at Victoria yesterday evening, and was welcomed by the Duke of York on behalf of the King and Queen, and by Mr. Austen Chamberlain on behalf of the Government. The Prince will remain in England for two years.

MR. M. T. SMILEY, M.A.

Mr. Marriott T. Smiley, M.A., senior lecturer in Classics in the University of Liverpool, and sometime lecturer in Greek in Queen's University, Belfast, is appointed to the Professorship of Greek in the University of London, tenable at University College, in succession to the late Professor Arthur Platt. Professor Smiley is son of the late Rev. William Smiley, LL.D., of the Irish Methodist Church, and was educated at the Methodist College, Belfast. Entering Trinity College, Dublin, with first Classical Sizarship and a Junior Exhibition, he subsequently gained first of first honours in Classics on several occasions, Classical Scholarship, and the Vice-Chancellor's Prize, and graduated with a double Senior Moderatorship, with gold medals in Classics and in Ancient History and the Brooke Prize. He was Registrar of the University Philosophical Society, and was awarded the Society's gold medal for Essay.

LATE NEWS.

THE FUTURE OF INDIA.

A CLEAR LEAD WANTED

The Times, in a leading article upon Lord Birkenhead's statement of policy regarding India yesterday, observes:—The economic facts are encouraging. The political facts—apart from the unhappy revival of the Hindu-Moslem conflict—are less discouraging than they were but recently. The political facts are determined in the main by the daily adventures of that unique experiment, the Montagu-Chelmsford reform, with its painful and largely obscure provincial trials and its all-Indian resonance in the Legislative Assembly, and the conferences of the new Indian parties. Where are we in

the matter could be disposed of except in one or other of two ways—either let it alone, in which case, he thought they would agree, it would have died a natural death long before now, and divorce bills *a vinculo* would have disappeared for ever; or bring in legislation to deal with the matter. Why had not that been done? That was what was causing all the uneasiness and suspicion in the public mind.

LEGAL ADVICE.

He thought that Senator O'Farrell said he was assuming that the President had the advice of the legal advisers behind him. It would be worth the Senator's while to inquire into that, and he would find that the contrary was the case. He mentioned that because he was afraid the effort was still being kept up to make out that he wanted to blink dang away with divorce. Nothing could be further from the truth. If any senator could succeed where he had failed and could find an alternative course no one would be more pleased than he.

THE ELECTIONS.

CRITICISM OF CANDIDATES.

Dr. Gogarty called attention to Article 30 of the Constitution, which reads as follows:—"Seanad Eireann shall be composed of citizens who shall be proposed on the grounds that they have done honour to the nation by reason of useful public service, or that, because of special qualifications or attainments, they represent important aspects of the nation's life."

However accurately the first part of that Article might be worded, he said, the second part was open to an interpretation which might not be wholly desirable. A man, say, suffering from St. Vitus's Dance, might be said to represent a separate and salient movement in the life of the country, or someone sufficiently notorious for doing things utterly apart from the public service might wish to make the Senate the scene of his senectitude. In other words, the Senate might become a refuge and an asylum for pensioners, and that was why—however invidious the duty might be—he felt it desirable to call attention to the matter.

THE REJECTED AND ACCEPTED.

Reading the list of senators who had been rejected, they were, if anything, a few points better than those who had been successful. A bill should be brought in to deal with the matter, or a special committee should be set up to decide the qualifications of candidates for election to the Senate in future.

The Chairman—The matter is in the hands of the Senate. You must not ask me to interpret it. If Senator Gogarty wants to have the matter dealt with in a concrete way he can bring in a bill to make the Article plain in the sense that he desires. We cannot have a discussion on an interjection here now.

BILLS PASSED.

The National Health Bill was passed through its final stages without discussion.

On the motion for the second reading of the Payment of Members Bill,

Mr. O'Farrell (Labour) said that some Senators hardly ever graced the Chamber with their presence.

The bill was passed through its final stages.

On the second reading of the Local Government (Rates on Agricultural Land) Bill, Sir John Keane, referring to Clause 4, which dealt with the failure of the County Council to make adequate rates, said that he questioned the wisdom of making the Minister the judge of whether the rate struck was adequate or not. He formally protested against the giving of power to local bodies to make rates, and then taking that power away. The responsibility should be left upon them. If a Council could not do its duty it could be dissolved.

President Cosgrave said that the object of the bill was to make it incumbent upon the local bodies to strike rates sufficient to cover the business of the year, and not to allow arrears to be piled up, which would fall in the following year upon a new set of ratepayers. The Government had taken the only step that was open to them, and it was all moonshine about "the failure to treat democracy." The County Councils that had gone out of existence had struck the rates. Some of these bodies had gone out, leaving the people to assume that a lower rate would discharge the liability for the year. That was not the case. It was time that everyone should know that there was one way of doing business, and that was to do it straight and honest.

The bill was passed.

APPROPRIATION BILL.

On the motion for the second reading of the Appropriation Bill (which was certified by the Speaker of the Dail as a money bill), Mr. O'Farrell said that he considered it a pity that, after all the legislation that had been passed during the session, that the Oireachtas should now adjourn for four months and leave the question of unemployment in an exceedingly unsettled, dangerous and unsatisfactory position. The only bill that held out any hope of giving employment was the Shannon Electricity Bill, and under that scheme no good would be done before November.

Another matter to which he desired to call attention was the slowness with which the land was being divided under the provisions of the Act of 1923.

GOVERNMENT'S DIFFICULTIES.

Sir John Keane said that he considered that the Government had done an enormous amount for unemployment in the country. He had considerable sympathy for the Government, who were an honest and well-meaning body of people, now faced with a difficult problem in the land question, the immensity and dangers of which they did not realise when passing the Land Act, two years ago.

The statement of the Minister for Lands and Agriculture in the Dail was distinctly disquieting. He (Sir John) had no sympathy with any body of men, landless or otherwise, who rose in agitation in an unconstitutional manner; but it would be asking a great measure of altruism and Christian fortitude to expect those men in any district to sit there and co-operate in putting migrants and strangers into land alongside their homes.

OLD ASSOCIATIONS.

Were the owners of substantial quantities of land, he asked, also to welcome the parcelling out of the homes on which their families had lived for generations, and loved and held sacred? Were they to stand still and watch the Government hand over those lands with sacred memories to strangers? They were all human, and could not be expected to remain silent when dangers of that kind threatened the things they loved.

The substantial owners of property were in jeopardy every hour, not knowing when the terror might fall. But worse than that was the perpetual feeling of insecurity, which was fatal to enterprise. He was glad to see that a deputy of the Farmers' Party in the Dail had made the statement that the leisured class were an asset to the country.

That class must have a value in the public affairs of the country, as they had in England, where they did most valuable work in local Councils. It was difficult to suggest to the Government what they should do, but one could say that things would not be right until owners got an assurance of quiet and undisturbed possession.

TARIFFS.

Mr. Dowdall appealed to the Government to devote attention to devising a system of import duties which would do away with the importing of articles that could be made in the country. He urged the Government to present a separate Army Annual Bill to show the supremacy of the civil authority in the country.

Mr. J. Bagwell expressed the opinion that the Government should proceed slowly with its protective policy.

Mr. T. W. Bennett said that he could not see how the Land Commission could deal with the land question more quickly.

Mr. Clayton Love asked whether anything had been done to set up a broadcasting station on the South coast.

Mr. Farren, in appealing for an extension of the unemployment insurance benefits, said that it was a shame and a disgrace that the Oireachtas should go into recess without taking some steps to find a remedy for unemployment.

Mr. McGilligan, Minister for Industry and Commerce, detailed the measures devised by the Government to provide work for the unemployed. The situation, he pointed out, was not worse than it had been, and it was the general feeling that it was better to lay out money on relief schemes that would give work than to distribute it in what might be called charity. Money would be spent on the drainage of the Barrow this year.

The second reading and remaining stages of the bill were passed.

SUGAR BEET.

On the motion for the second reading of the Sugar Beet Bill, Sir Thomas Esmonde said that the success or otherwise of the experiment lay with the farmers, and Irish farmers were as good tillage farmers as there were in any other country. To make the industry a success it should be undertaken on a large scale.

The second reading was passed

Mr. Barrington moved that the Committee stage be postponed.

Mr. Bennett seconded.

The motion to postpone was lost, as was also an amendment to extend the subsidy to farmers from three to five years.

The bill was then passed through all its final stages.

RECONSTRUCTION.

The Dublin Reconstruction (Emergency Provisions) Amendment Bill was received from the Dail with a request that it should be passed by the Senate that day.

Several members complained that they had not seen the bill, and Mr. Barrington protested against this hurried legislation.

The bill was read a second time, and its further consideration was adjourned till today.

The Senate adjourned.

STONES OF ANCIENT IRELAND.

DR. MACALISTER'S LECTURE TO CELTIC DELEGATES.

The Royal Society of Antiquaries had gained its present importance and position, after eighty years of untiring effort, although it had never received a grant from the Government or from public funds, said Dr. R. A. Stewart Macalister, F.S.A., when he lectured yesterday afternoon on Irish antiquities at 63 Merrion square, Dublin, to members of the Celtic Congress and members of the Society.

The Society had done its best to open up the different places of interest, with which Ireland abounded, and they had several ambitious schemes in contemplation, although hampered by lack of funds.

Dr. Macalister described the stone circles, which were probably the remnants of the ancient Druidical religion.

The inscribed slabs, which were to be found in many parts, gave us an insight into the way in which the Celts of old first learned to read and write. One stone had the complete alphabet cut upon it. It was found near the ruins of a monastery, and had been probably used by the monks to teach their pupils.

Dealing with the difference and progress in the construction of ancient and mediæval churches, the lecturer pointed out in what directions the Irish architect individualised the Gothic form of construction, and even beautified it.

He said that he could not conclude more fittingly than to refer to the metal work and illuminative designs of the ancient Celtic craftsmen. They possessed to-day some really fine examples of both. The most elaborate illumination in existence was in the Book of Kells, which was so fine and intricate that, he said, it made one wonder at the keen eyesight those craftsmen must have possessed.

Mr. R. T. Rice, President of the Celtic Congress, returned thanks on behalf of the members of the Congress, to the lecturer and the Society.

BRITISH REVENUE.

RECEIPTS.

	Estimates for 1925-1926.	April 1 to July 4, 1925.
	£	£
Customs	102,040,000	25,247,000
Excise	137,220,000	30,102,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	17,500,000	3,120,000
Estate, etc., Duties	66,800,000	16,350,000
Stamps	24,000,000	4,640,000
Land Tax, etc.	1,000,000	140,000
Income Tax	263,000,000	42,693,000
Super Tax	63,300,000	19,320,000
Excess Profits Duty	4,000,000	
Corporation Profits Tax	9,000,000	3,500,000
Post Office	57,000,000	13,500,000
Crown Lands	900,000	320,000
Interest on Loans	12,500,000	5,258,759
Miscellaneous, Ordinary Receipts	14,200,000	3,395,534
Special Receipts	30,000,000	11,379,963
Total	801,060,000	179,109,256

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimates for 1925-1926.	April 1 to July 4, 1925.
	£	£
National Debt Services	353,000,000	135,435,414
Road Fund	16,900,000	2,040,044
Payments to Local Taxation	13,329,000	889,615
Payments to Northern Ireland	4,000,000	1,163,194
Land Settlement	700,000	103,242
Other Consolidated Fund Services	2,000,000	626,289
Supply Services	409,471,000	92,650,000
Total	799,400,000	233,007,768

IRISH FAIRS.

THOMASTOWN.—There was a pretty large supply of cattle and sheep at Thomastown monthly fair on Tuesday. A large attendance of buyers, and good prices ruled for all classes of cattle. Fat cattle sold at 10/- per head in advance of last month's prices. Springers and suckler cows were eagerly sought for, and the supply in this department was not equal to the demand. Quotations:—Fat cattle, first quality, £31 10/-; second quality, £27. Three-year-olds fetched from £25 to £27; second quality from £20 to £23; forwards two-year-olds, £18 to £20; second class from £14 to £16; yearlings from £10 to £14; second quality from £7 10/- to £9 10/-; springers from £25 to £37 10/-; milch cows from £18 to £24; stripper cows from £16 to £20; weanling calves from £5 10/- to £8. Fat sheep from £5 to £5 10/-; hoggets from £3 15/- to £4 10/-, and fat lambs £5 each. Young pigs were in poor demand and the greater number were taken home unsold. Store pigs realised from £2 to £3 10/- each, and bonhams £1 to 20/-.

MULLINGAR.—Small cattle fair, composed principally of shorthorn stores. Few buyers attended and trade ruled slow throughout, a moderate clearance at lower rates being eventually effected. A small supply of fat stock, but quite sufficient for the demand; values obtained showed a drop of about 5/- per cwt. on last month's figures. Springers and milch cows were in quiet request. A large number of lambs were on offer and the majority changed hands at reduced quotations. Calves, under 6 months old, £3 to £4 10/-; average £4. Store cattle, over 6 and not exceeding 12 months, 1st class £8 10/- to £10, average £9; 2nd class £7 to £8, average £7 10/-; over 1 year old and under two years, 1st class £13 to £15, average £14; live weight average 48/- per cwt.; 2nd class £10 to £13 10/-, average £11 l.w. average 43/6. Two years old and under three years, 1st class £17 to £19 10/-, average £18, l.w. average 46/6; 2nd class £16 to £16 10/-, average £16, l.w. average 44/-. Three years old and over, 1st class, suitable to breed cattle, £23, l.w. average 47/6. Fat cattle, two years old and under three years, 1st class £21 to £24, average £22 10/-, l.w. average 60/-; three years old and over, 1st class, £24 to £28 5/-, average £26, l.w. average 60/-. Springers, 1st class, £30 to £37, 2nd class £23 to £27, average £24; 2nd class £18 to £21, average £20. Milch cows (down calved). 1st class, £30 to £32, average £31; 2nd class £17 10/- to £19 10/-, average £18. Lambs (under 12 months old), long-wools 47/6 to 62/-, average 55/-; cross-breds 58/6 to 68/-, average 60/-. Fat sheep, two years old and over, long-wools 30/- to 100/-, average 90/-.

Miss Pola Negri, the cinema star, on her arrival in New York from Europe, failed to declare her jewels, and she has been ordered to pay the Customs authorities $57,000.

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IMPROVEMENT OF ROADS.

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special cars would be taken to meet the requirements of areas.

In case of roads near cities or large towns, where traffic was particularly heavy, an effort would be made to provide a greater width of carriage-way. Not knowing whether or not the scheme was to be financed by grant from the Central Fund, he had suggested to the Department of Finance that the revenue of the Road Fund might be anticipated, and provision made accordingly, as in the case of last year, by a Road Fund Advances Act.

There was also the great difficulty facing local authorities in regard to the provision of road plant of an adequate nature. The difficulty might be got over by the scheme being largely carried out by contractors already in possession of plant, or who might find it to their interest to acquire a large amount of plant.

As soon as he had been informed whether the scheme could be financed, the matter would be forthwith initiated with the local authorities.

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY.

On the second stage of the Electricity Supply (Special Powers) Bill, Mr. McGilligan, Minister for Industry and Commerce, said that the object of the bill was to save the expenditure by undertakers of a certain amount of money on plant, which, in from four or five years, might be rendered useless.

Major Myles said that the bill would wipe out at one stroke the protection afforded to authorised undertakers by the various Provisional Orders and Acts of Parliament. It was on the security of that protection that money, both public and private, had been subscribed in the past. It was quite inequitable that that security should be removed, and the effect of it could only be to discourage the investment of any capital in any undertaking in the Free State. He made some suggestions which, he believed, would improve the bill.

The Minister said that he was quite in sympathy with most of the suggestions, and, so far as he knew, the bill ran pretty well along the lines laid down in the suggestions. There was no intention—and he believed there was no power in the bill—to injure any existing undertaking, and the bill had been produced in answer to representations on behalf of existing undertakings. Other suggestions made by the Deputy would belong to the Organisation Bill in connection with the Shannon scheme.

The bill was read a second time, and the next stage was fixed for 3rd November.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

Mr. Thomas Johnson introduced a discussion on reports of the Committee of Public Accounts, of which he is chairman. The reports under consideration were the second and third reports of the Committee on the accounts for the financial year 1922-23.

He referred to a sum of £290,000 expended for the purchase of miscellaneous military stores, and alleged that there had been a certain amount of looseness. Dealing with items in regard to armament, he complained that no price seemed to have been fixed when certain articles were purchased. He stated that a contract for 10,000 rifles had not been carried out, and it appeared that in the settlement which the Government made they accepted responsibility for the loss of £2,250 on account of rifles which they were willing to receive, but which for some reason or another were not delivered.

Mr. Johnson also stated that irregularities had taken place with regard to the supply of revolvers. He paid special attention to the evidence given by the officers of the Army and the Ministry of Finance in that matter, and he would say that the whole position was most unsatisfactory. It was possible that explanations might be given—explanations that had not yet been hinted at—but he would say that it would be difficult to disabuse the public mind of the thought that the Ministry was affected by personal considerations, when he said that a man named Fitzgerald, who had been mentioned in connection with the matter, was a brother of a Minister in the Executive Council.

That fact was within his knowledge, and it had not been disclosed. He would be the last person to impute responsibility to one person or the action of others, but he could not but think that before the settlement took place there should have been at least one resignation from the Executive Council. The Committee expected that the matter would have to receive further consideration and further inquiry, because of the fact that moneys would appear to have been paid in the succeeding accounts. But it was not right that matters of that kind should be allowed to run over from one year to another without the fact being brought to the knowledge of the Dail.

He felt that the putting off of any discussion in the Dail of those reports until that day was strange and significant.

Mr. Blythe said that he would like to refer to one point. No personal consideration were involved in the settlement of the particular claim that Mr. Johnson referred to in the reports. The Government had regard only to the public interest, and he certainly would say that if the Free State ... He made some suggestions which, he believed, would improve the bill.

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That fact was within his knowledge, and it had not been disclosed. He would be the last person to impute responsibility to one person for the action of others, but he could not but think that before the settlement took place there should have been at least one resignation from the Executive Council. The Committee expected that the matter would have to receive further consideration and further inquiry, because of the fact that moneys would appear to have been paid in the succeeding accounts. But it was not right that matters of that kind should be allowed to run over from one year to another without the fact being brought to the knowledge of the Dail.

He felt that the putting off of any discussion in the Dail of those reports until that day was strange and significant.

Mr. Blythe said that he would like to refer to one point. No personal considerations

PROVINCES.

...ican Fined Under 1833 Act.—J. R. ..., publican, Church street, Listowel, was ...2 yesterday for refusing to admit a sergeant on duty to his premises after ... The Justice said that he would deal ...he case under the Act of 1833, which ...d him to impose a fine without record- ...e conviction.

... Fein Conference.—Mr. E. de Valera ...ed a Sinn Fein Conference in Limerick ... Hall yesterday. The attendance in- ... Messrs. A. Stack, Mr. J. Colivet, ... Plunkett, Madame Markievicz, the ... Albina Broderick, Mrs. French-Mullen, ... Sheehy-Skeffington, and E. Donnelly. ...roceedings were conducted in private.

ULSTER.

...on for Possessing Poteen. — Peter ...lly, Stranocilroy, and Michael Rooney, ...rinasell West, were each sentenced to ... monthly imprisonment, with hard ..., at Monaghan yesterday, for having ...d a half glasses of poteen in their ...ession. The men were seen to throw a ... away and try to get across the Border, ...ere caught. The bottle was found in ...edge on the following morning.

...lin Police band will play in St. ...n's Green on Friday afternoon from 4 ...o'clock.

...verdict of natural death was returned at ...quest in Dublin into the death of Patrick ..., aged 41, Bonham street, who died ...a fall.

...stown Urban Council last night co- ...Messrs. J. P. Durcan and John Byrne ...mbers for the East and West Wards ...tively.

Samuel Bloddon, Lenziestown, Tom- ...d, Co. Wexford, is taking care of a ...racing pigeon marked N.U.R.P. N7279 ...R, and other figures.

...gstown Urban Council last night re- ...to the General Purposes Committee a ...al that a new dining hall and milk ... should be erected in Glasthule Ward.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

...rgan Betting Raids.—Joseph McShane ...harged at Lurgan yesterday with per- ...g his premises 3-11 North street, to be ...for betting. George McGivern, Brown- ...terrace, was charged with using the ...es for betting purposes. When the ... raided the premises twelve persons ...frouhd there, and a number of betting ...a book with betting records and £5 0s. ...cash, were found on a table in front of ...vern. McShane was out at the time. ...Bench dismissed the case against ...ane and fined McGivern £5 and costs.

...es for Workmen's Houses. — The ...ern Ministry of Local Government has ...ed Lurgan Rural Council that it has ...mended the Land Purchase Commission ...ue a further £1,900 instalment on ...t of the loan of £10,200 sanctioned for ...ing labourers' cottages. The Ministry ... that the Land Purchase Commission ...stated that that department had no ...ority to make further advances under the ...ons of the Labourers Acts without the ...s sanction of the Imperial Treasury, to ... all cases must first be referred.

...ion for Dole Fraud.—Patrick Kerr, ... street, who was sentenced to a month's ...onment at Lurgan yesterday for making ...representations under the Unemployment ...ance Act, in order to obtain dependant's ...l for his wife. It was stated that he ...not lived with her since 1914, and had ...fully obtained £14 7s. Notice of appeal ...given.

...dlty to a Donkey.—Patrick Leanon, ...trana, was at Lurgan yesterday fined ... and costs for driving a donkey while it ...in an unfit state to work. There were ...raw sores under the harness of the ...al.

...e Late Mr. James Barr.—The interment ...taken place in the Londonderry City ...etery of the remains of the late Mr. James ..., of Messrs. Barr and McClements, ...ers and outfitters, Londonderry, who d...d ...week at his residence, Victoria Park, ...crana, Co. Donegal. For a number of ...s the late Mr. Barr was a member of ... Londonderry Corporation. He was a ...ber of the Committee of the Buncrana ...byterian Church and held high office in ... Masonic Order. He leaves a widow and ...e sons.

...lfast Harbour Board yesterday decided ... basis of the charges for use of the ...ilton Graving Dock should be reduced ... 1,000 to 500 tons.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of ROBERT CARROLL, late of Binchardstown, in the County of Dublin, deceased, who died on the 14th day of July, 1924.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to 22 and 23 Vict. Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be next of kin of, or to have any claims or demands out the Estate or Assets of the above deceased, are required, on or before the 10th day of July, 1925, to furnish the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix of the said deceased, to whom Administration was granted on the 26th day day of May, 1925, forth of the Principal Registry (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann, or default thereof the said Administratrix will, on the said 10th day of July, 1925, proceed to minister the Deceased's Estate, having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned Solicitor shall then have had notice.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1925.

FRANK J. ALLEN, Solicitor for said Administratrix, 43 Dame street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THE REVEREND CANON JOSEPH SUMPNER JOYNER WHITE, late of the Rectory, Westport in the County of Mayo, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Statute 22 & 23 Vic., Chap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise having claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 15th day of February, 1925, are hereby required to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands on or before the 2nd July, 1925, to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix of the said Deceased, to whom Administration was granted forth of the Principal Registry (Probate) of the High Courts of Justice Saorstat Eireann on the 5th day of June, 1925. And Notice is hereby given that after the said 2nd day of July, 1925, the assets of the said Deceased will be distributed, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars have been received as above required.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1925.

J. KENNAN COOPER, Solicitor for the Administratrix, Custom House quay, Wexford.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of DANIEL FRANCIS McCARTHY, late of 37 Aggieva road, in the County of Dublin, and 26, South William street, in the City of Dublin, Representative of Messrs. Bradbury Greatorex, Ltd., Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., c. 35, that all persons claiming to be next of kin or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the estate or assets of the said Daniel Francis McCarthy, Deceased, who died on the 3rd January, 1925, are hereby required to furnish in writing the particulars of such claims and demands to me before the 10th day of July next to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor of the last Will and Testament of said Deceased, to whom Letters of said Will was granted on the 4th day of June, 1925, forth of the Principal Registry (Probate) of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 10th day of July next the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, regard being had to the claims or demands of which notice particulars as required above shall have been received.

Dated this 11th day of June, 1925.

JAMES FAGAN, Solicitor for said Executors, 55 Rutland square, W., Dublin.

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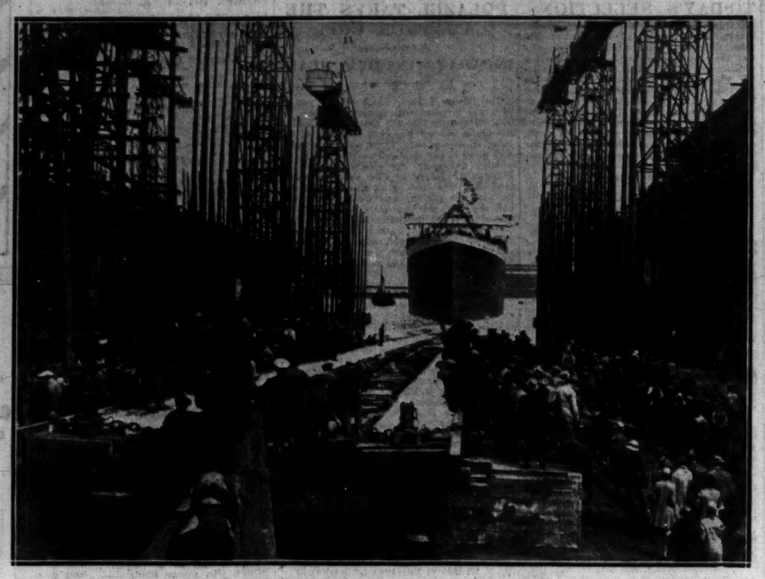
LAUNCH OF THE ASTURIAS.—Lord Kylsant, chairman of the owners and builders; the Duchess of Abercorn, and Mr. Charles Payne, manager of the shipbuilding yard.



The Royal Mail Steampacket Company's Passenger Liner, Asturias, 22,000 tons, the largest and most powerful motor-ship in the world, was launched from Messrs. Harland and Wolff's Yard, Belfast, yesterday.

Watching the Jumping at Tullamore Show yesterday.

Members of the Tullamore Show Committee.

TULLAMORE SHOW.—Mr. D. Finnamore's three First Prize Winners in the Shorthorn Classes.

Judging the Heavy Hunters at Cork show yesterday.

MUNSTER AGRICULTURAL SHOW AT CORK.—A General View.

Wash this exquisite frock with Lux and preserve its colour

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

UNEMPLOYMENT AND MAINTENANCE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The recent discussions on unemployment have been confused by a failure to discriminate between two different sides of the problem, each demanding special and distinct treatment. There is (a) the problem of finding work for the unemployed and (b) the problem of maintaining existence for the unemployed until work is found for them. A solution of the problem (a) cannot be found easily or quickly, and meantime problem (b) presents an immediate and urgent necessity. Debating the problem of unemployment as a whole, it becomes a little too easy to forget how immediate and urgent is the physical need of the workless. Members of the Labour Party come face to face with that need every day. They have to meet men and women stamped with the mark of want, whose children are hungry, whose possessions are pawned, who are at their wits' end where to turn for food or rent money. Can we answer their appeal by telling them that 3,000 men will be employed on the Shannon scheme in November and another 1,000 or so in the sugar beet industry in a year or two? Will it comfort them to know that presently, perhaps, employers and workers will consider the whole problem in a joint conference?

How are these people to live while new lines of employment are being investigated or slowly evolved? That is the question that strikes dismay and apprehension into the hearts of those in touch with the Labour movement. That is the question which will be hammered into the minds of the Government and the general public in various ways until it becomes impossible to ignore it. Would it not be wiser to deal with it now than to "wait and see"? It may be uneconomic to pay uncovenanted benefit through the Unemployment Benefit Fund: it would be more dangerously uneconomic to make no provision at all for the genuine unemployed and allow them to drift into utter want and desperation. The chances of a successful materialisation of industrial schemes will be seriously impaired if the Government fail to make any subsistence provision for the unemployed during this transition period, nor is it possible to imagine any conference of employers and employed debating reconstructive measures with want and despair banging on the doors.

The exact position of the unemployed as to the so-called "dole" is constantly misunderstood. Unemployment benefit is not a "dole." It denotes recognition by all concerned that every industry is liable to periods of slackness and that it is necessary to make provision for all employés subjected to the rise and fall of prosperity in an industry. Employers, employés and the State all contribute to the fund. The benefit paid is neither charity nor "dole," but a debt due from industry to those needed to maintain it. The workers can only draw benefits in accordance with the contributions paid. Abnormal conditions of unemployment led to the payment of "uncovenanted" benefit, drawn from loans made to the Unemployment Fund by the State. The Free State Government have now refused to pay such uncovenanted benefit; but many thousands of workers have exhausted their contributory benefits. What now is left to them? Poor relief is not paid to the unemployed until they are reduced to such complete destitution that their only resource is the poor house.

We all welcome every effort made by the Government to provide relief schemes and to stimulate industry; but we assert that their responsibility does not end there. We demand that they face the necessity of providing food and shelter for those who are waiting for work.—Yours, etc.,

LOUIE BENNETT, Secretary.

Irish Women Workers' Union,
7 and 8 Eden quay, Dublin,
July 7th, 1925.

PUBLIC EXPENDITURE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I note with interest that the brief spasm of economic talking which has afflicted the Dail and Senate has been interrupted (1) by Mr. Johnson to complain that the scheme of the conference betwees himself and the country as a whole has been damned in advance by the imposition of impossible conditions, and (2) by the President of the Executive Council to point out the complete and utter irresponsibility of those who have so damned it. It is necessary, if this conference between Mr. Johnson (or, as he is called, "Labour") and the other interests in this country is to be a success, that common ground of agreement should be carried as far as possible and that this common ground should be made manifest.

My first contribution to the making clear of that common ground would be to point out that there is criminal folly in any act tending to make that conference futile exactly in the measure that there is authority and executive power behind that act. The second would be to call attention to the fact that there has already been publicly and officially made by an executive officer responsible to the Council and the Dail a statement which, if allowed to go uncontradicted, will cut to the root of any useful purpose or hope of practical outcome from that conference. The statement was made by Mr. Ernest Blythe, and is to the effect that there is no hope of any considerable reduction in public expenditure, and that no reduction of the burden of taxation in industry can be considered; that any reduction of taxation must come, not by reduction of the gross weight, but by its distribution over a larger production.

It is time that this fooling stopped and that the Government and the people of Ireland translated into practical fact their knowledge that the present recklessness of public expenditure cannot, and will not, be borne by the product of existing industry, and that its continuance is an insuperable obstacle to that increase in production of value in exchange which is the only hope of progress in Ireland. The crushing economic evil of the political system from which we are supposed to have emerged was that a poor and subject junior partner in a very rich firm was bound to keep his housekeeping on a level consonant rather with the dignity of the firm than with his own resources. We had Chancellors, Viceregal Lodges, castles (Dublin and otherwise), boards without number, horse, foot, artillery and pomp and circumstance galore.

We have all these things now or their worse equivalents. In the gross they are more costly and more inefficient than anything we conceived possible. We could not afford them then; nothing has happened since to enable us to afford them now. We are travelling first-class on third-class tickets. The position lacks dignity, economy and honour. It is time that it was drastically altered by bringing our expenditure within our resources. The demand that the equivalent in value in exchange of twenty-six to thirty million pounds shall be provided for the present spending departments every year by existing Irish industry before that industry is allowed to use any of its production for the purpose of its own maintenance and expansion is pestilent madness. It ought to be met by the country with a refusal so resolute that even the thirty-three who so regularly share the lobby with Mr. Johnson's fourteen shall be made to understand.

The suggestion that there should be an agreement precedent to the conference on its terms is a good one. I would suggest that among the terms of reference should be:—

(1) To provide means of bringing into consumption in Ireland an increased proportion of the present actual production of Ireland;
(2) To increase the production of goods capable of entering into consumption therein;
(3) To increase production of goods in Ireland having value in international exchange;
(4) To remove any existing impediments, political, social or economic, to the accomplishment of the above purposes.

It is because the more obvious a thing is the more certain it is to be overlooked that I take the trouble to put the above objects in writing.—Yours, etc., HUGO V. FLINN.

Cork, July 6th, 1925.

THE CATTLE INDUSTRY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The leading article on the cattle trade in your issue of the 3rd inst. goes outside the mark a little when it states that "the Irish farmer does not take the trouble to finish his cattle." The real reason is largely an economic one; for it is a well-established scientific fact that the final stages of fattening are the most expensive. It is not every victualler who has customers who can afford to pay the price of such tip-top quality beef, and, indeed, in most markets the bulk of the demand is for a good second-class article. Furthermore, in some tests made by the British authorities during the Great War this preference appears to have been justified on economic grounds. Most of the well-finished cattle in the Dublin market are bought for the better-class trade of Dublin, Belfast and Glasgow; but the numbers taken for those places are small compared with what is required for the great industrial centres of Lancashire and Yorkshire.

There is not "a handsome profit to be made from cattle-feeding" either in summer or winter. The farmer sticks to it because it fits in well with climatic and other conditions not controllable, and has, besides, the inestimable advantage of a sure market. Irish cattle, no doubt, do not arrive at their cross-Channel destination as fresh as could be wished, but that may be largely inseparable from the nature of the journey. It is probably due more to the shock to their nervous system than to any definitely brutal treatment that they receive *en route*. The unnatural and to them alarming surroundings—railways, docks and ship-board—are well calculated to upset the animal for a time. If it is a fact, as we are told, that Canadian cattle often arrive better and fresher than ours, the true explanation may be that they have got accustomed to their novel surroundings and have recovered from the effects of the shock.

In the hope that I may not be accused of submitting a barren criticism, I would like to suggest the following means towards the improvement of the cattle industry:—

(1) A propagandist effort urging better feeding, combined with the better breeding now outlined. Feeding is fully 75 *per cent.*, and breeding 25 *per cent.*, is the sum total of a beef animal's achievements.

(2) Recast the Department's cattle-breeding scheme so as to make it fit in better with the recent Live-Stock Breeding Act.

(3) Send a deputation to Canada—a breeder, a feeder and a dealer—to pick up all the information they can on the methods and trend of the Canadian cattle export trade to Britain.—Yours, etc., T. WADE.

Straffan, Co. Kildare, July 6th, 1925.

THE SENATE ELECTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Seventy-six candidates will form the panel for the forthcoming elections to take place in September for the Senate. I hope that the citizens of the Free State will use their votes and, in doing so, will vote for the best nineteen men on merit alone. The Constitution states that "the candidates shall be citizens who have done honour to the nation by reason of useful public service," etc. Some of the candidates obviously do not fulfil this qualification. The disappearance of some worthy names from the Senate list has caused a feeling that the Senate must have been indifferent on the matter. The Dail list is more representative, but a number of bitter politicians and soap-box orators are included—apparently through party exigency.—Yours, etc., "ONLOOKER."

Dublin, July 7th, 1925.

POULTRY FOR PROFIT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Your correspondent waxes indignant because poultry-keeping leaves an insufficient margin of profit to justify the trouble involved; but surely, with our present methods, we do not expect that even the proverbial bird that laid the golden egg would pay its way. I keep a small number of hens, but I have not sold an egg this season. If necessity compels, I shall sell the hen, but not the egg. Surplus eggs I give to calves or turkeys or anything that will eat them, simply because primitive business instincts will not allow me the pleasure of altruism, or the making of a living for the half-dozen go-betweens as my expense. I am not looking for sympathy. I clearly realise that I am one of the many thousand "mugs" who keep poultry in this country with the certain prospect that, until we combine to place poultry and their products more directly in the hands of the consumers, we shall continue to get the shell while others suck the contents thereof.

In this little village eggs are bought by our local purveyors of expensive feeding stuffs. A little profit is shed there both ways. Two competing lorry-owners come twelve and fifteen miles regularly on the chance of getting a cargo—more profit is shed there. These in turn sell to their buyers, who in turn pass to wholesalers, who in turn give these "fresh" eggs to our fellow-suffering consumers. "More power to them all." They deserve to flourish—they suffer feols so gladly. Could we not try to make a little for our trouble on our own account? An optimistic Government hopes to create supply and demand for its Shannon products. Poultry-keepers have unlimited demand and a very considerable supply. If, as seems likely, investors must try their luck when the Shannon is dammed—on the chance of being cheaply electrified—have the keepers of the unassuming hen neither the courage nor the business capacity among them to raise the necessary thousands to finance a commercial company, with the owners as shareholders, which would enable them to run an enterprise that has already proved its profit and worth to many who only know a hen by sight? If not, wherein is the justice of our complaint? I could fill a page illustrative of the fact that my countrymen and women consider it is more blessed to give than to receive. Last week gooseberry and strawberry jam was made and stored against the day of need. The former cost less than threepence a pound and the latter about that figure, fruit supplied. Our surplus gooseberries go to feed the pigeons. There is not a market for them within a radius of a hundred miles, unless we gave them away to a go-between. What is the local shops' price for these jams? You would never believe me.—Yours, etc.,

"PLUCKED CHICKEN."

Co. Galway, July 6th, 1925.

IRISH-MADE BOTTLES.

The Committee of the Licensed Grocers' and Vintners' Protection Association yesterday passed a resolution calling upon the trade to order hand-maue bottles of Irish manufacture, thus fostering home industry, while securing a better-class article. It was recommended that a distinctive Irish trade mark should be stamped on every bottle made in this country.

CHURCH SERVICES.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 58 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open to the public daily from 11 a.m.

First Church of Christ Scientist, Rathmines (a Branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.).—Services, at which all are welcome—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Church Building, Rathmines Park, open daily, free to the public, 11 a.m. to 8 o'clock p.m.; Wednesday, 11 to 7.30; and Saturdays from 11 to 1 o'clock, Sunday, 4 to 6.30.

OUTDOOR GAMES AND VISION

The Importance of "Eye"

Everywhere just now the cricketer has an eye on his averages, the tennis player tunes up for the holiday tournaments and the golfer plagues the secretary about his handicap. Only the most urgent affairs can lure the fisherman from his favourite swims, while the motorist's talk is one long 'took it in her stride on top, my lad.'

Muscle reigns everywhere; but the folk who will ultimately carry off the trophies are equally concerned about that most vital of all the factors in success at sport—the eyesight.

Every ball-game, from cricket to croquet, is essentially a matter of 'eye.' Without good eyesight, 'eye' is unattainable. Sports records show that physique may be, and often is, of even secondary importance. The successful sportsmen know, but the uninitiated have yet to learn, that the sight factor is of paramount importance.

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VICTORIA JUBILEE MASONIC ANNUITY FUND.

The Governors of the Victoria Jubilee Masonic Fund will meet at the Freemasons' Hall, Molesworth street, Dublin, to-day, at 4.30 p.m., and not at 8 p.m., as stated inadvertently in yesterday's *Irish Times*.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

A POOR FIELD.

MY CRACKERS' CANTER

PENSACOLA'S BEST.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

NOTTINGHAM, Tuesday Night.

The standard of the racing here this afternoon dropped a good deal from that of yesterday. The Dukeries Foal Plate, which was worth £1,000, was almost a complete fiasco, and only produced a field of three moderate runners, in which odds of 5 to 4 were laid on My Crackers. Mr. Sutton's colt made all the running, and won in a canter. Owners always seem to have grievances nowadays, and are always complaining, with some justice, about the high cost of running horses, yet when, as in the present case, an executive puts up a good prize it receives only the most wretched support.

I notice from the evening papers that much the same thing happened at Salisbury this afternoon, where there were only two runners for the Wiltshire Stakes, which had £500 added money. There seemed to be a fate hanging over this event, for Laughter Tor, upon odds of 9 to 2 were laid, was caught on the post and beaten a head by Mrs. R. C. Dawson's Imparat. It may be noticed that Harry Beasley rode the winner instead of the regular Whatcombe jockey, Carslake.

It was satisfactory to see Mr. H. C. Sutton win a good race like the Dukeries Foal Plate, for in a modest way he is a good supporter of racing under both codes, and owns that brilliant two-mile 'chaser, Holdcraft. He and his trainer, Willie Waugh, had an interesting success in the next race, the Clumber Plate, which they won with Green Goddess. The Thought Reader filly was not started, and Green Goddess was a good favourite. She made no bones about winning by three lengths from Silver Eagle, who finished a head in front of the much-fancied Red Leg, from Mr. Gilpin's stable.

Pensacola's Improved Form.

The Irish three-year-old Pensacola, in the Bolsover Handicap, ran the best race with which he has so far been credited in England and was very well backed, though not so good a favourite as Swastika. At half-way he and Esperos singled themselves out, and in a very exciting finish, Mr. Michalino's colt just beat Pensacola by a neck.

In the course of the afternoon, the favourite, Sunny South, was rather easily beaten a length by Fairy Elf, who is trained at Newmarket by the ex-jockey, H. Toon. Neither of the two following handicaps, which were won by Merry Wit and Son o' Love, calls for any comment.

The Bibury Club meeting at Salisbury clashed, as on this afternoon with another meeting, this time at Newmarket. The Foal will miss the Bibury Cup for a race to-morrow in which he seems astonishingly leniently weighted. Kwannon, on some of her old form, would have a big chance here, and I believe that she is fancied, but she has done far from well in her races this season. Sebastian runs, but I think the best is Solo Mio, who has always been a much fancied when he was beaten at Ascot by Glen Andred. There will be several good two-year-olds, such as Blackmoor, Fragmond, and Lancelot, taking part in the Hurstbourne Stakes. The last named impressed me as a most creditable first appearance in the race won by Embargo at Newmarket last week, and on the running in high-class company he should be good enough to win this. EXIA, I believe, misses the Bibury Cup for the Pembroke Maiden Stakes, which she should win.

It is possible that on account of the hard going some, although not such a chance of winning the Yorkshire Handicap at Pontefract, may not be started. In his absence I would choose POLYMORPHOUS. Mayrian and The Stoat appeared to be the best in the West Riding Produce Plate, and I choose MAYRIAN, who has a six pounds advantage in the weights.

GAUTER MORE.

THE IRISH BREEDERS' PRODUCE STAKES.

FOHANAUN A CERTAIN RUNNER.

The Irish Breeders' Produce Stakes of £2,000, at Phœnix Park on Saturday, promises to be one of the most interesting events of the week. Considerable concern will be evinced in the performance of Fohanaun, who is unbeaten, and who has won the Baldoyle Patrician Plate, carrying 7st. 10lb.; the Leopardstown Produce Stakes, carrying 8st. 5lb., and the Naas Testimonial Stakes, carrying 9st. Each of these races he won in a canter, and he is entered to run in each five furlongs in 60 2-5 secs, which equalled the record of the three-year-old, Golden Quest.

Major Eustace Cape's Double Scot is another brother to Scot, who won the corresponding event last season, and recently was sent to Belgium specially to be trained for the Eclipse Stakes of India (one of the richest races in the world, its gross value being £30,000) on Bombay in February of next year. It is no open secret that Scot was very highly tried before leaving the Brownstown House stable at the Curragh, but perhaps that is an unnecessary observation to make, for he would not have been engaged in the Eclipse Stakes had he not shown his trainer something.

It is not certain, but is likely, that Michael Dawson will ride the pair both in Bombay and Ligurian; the latter is a certain starter, but some doubt exists as to the saddling of Arcadia Reine, Argina ran well in the Limerick Junction T.Y.O. Plate last week, and she will, no doubt, be preferred to the stable companion, Arcadia Reine, who is one of the best two-year-olds in training, but she was not suited by the mile at Leopardstown, has been beaten only once in two seasons), out of Lalleriza, a half-sister to the one-time champion sprinter, Prince Rose, by Sundridge, sire of Argina's owner, Mr. D. J. Cogan. The probable starters and their riders for the £1,000 event are appended:—

FOHANAUN, ch. c., by Glaxgerion—Thistle (Colonel A. J. Blake) (Jeffery), 9-10 M. Wing
RESPLENDENT, b. f., by Gay Crusader—Ivybridge (Mr. D. Sullivan) (Persse), 9-7 ..... H. H. Beasley
DONALD SCOT, ch. c., by Orpiment—Sandy Bank (Major S. Cape) (Scully), 8-5 .....
*ARDSALLAGH, br. c., by Bachelor's Double, dam by Jaeger—Diavolezza (Mr. M'Cann) (Dawson), 8-5 E. M. Quirke
KINGSCOURT, gr. c., by Roi Herode—Rumour (Major Shirley) (Rogers), 8-5 ..... R. Cullen
GOLDEN SUNBURST, b. c., by Argosy—Dutch Lass (Mr. J. O'Grady) (Prior-Yate), 8-5 .....
*MEMORIES, ch. c., by My Prince—Miss Merry (Mr. E. Clarke) (Wagner), 8-2 J. Morlan
ARGINA, b. f., by Argos—Lallerina (Mr. D. J. Cogan) (Dines), 8-2 ..... A. Ward
LIGURIAN, br. c., by Honey Bee—Diavolezza (Mr. A. M'Cann) (Dawson), 8-2 ..... A. Dardis
MARSHILL LASS, ch. f., by Marshill—Glint (Mr. E. Ryan) (Bell), 8-2 ..... J. Dines
PURSUED, br. f., by Hokl—Hunted Lady (Mr. J. T. Rogers) (Rogers), 8-2 ..... A. Clarke
ADON-AI, b. c., by Bachelor's Cruft—Son of Ai (Mr. B. J. Cogan) (Rice), 8-2 .....
*MOIRA MUSIC, b. c., by Ringmore—Moira Strand Melody (Mr. J. H. H. Reed) (Peard), 8-2 ..... J. Connolly
*Doubtful starter.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

PONTEFRACT MEETING.

Speculation Plate—Handicap—Double Gift.
Badsworth Plate—Broad Gauge.
West Selling Plate—Bramble Brandy, Butterfly Kiss.

Pontefract Summer Meeting engagements—Alacrity, Mere Mot, Silly, Mignault, Pizarro, Maurice Gemis and Great Widow.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bibury Club Meeting engagements—Deerslayer, Brownstown, Dunkirk, Uralite, Per Mare filly (2 yrs.), Holiday Suit (3 yrs.).

Beech Selling Plate, Newmarket—Elmfield.

Maiden Two-Years-Old Plate, Bath—Trend filly, Tart One.

City High-Weight Handicap, Bath—Maidore.

Holiday Two-Years-Old Plate, Sandown—Logic.

Dukeries Foal Plate, Nottingham—Chrysanthemum.

Newmarket Second July Meeting engagements—Confirmation, Guinscourt.

July Stakes and Cattle Hill Handicap, Ayr—Chants.

Lingfield Park engagements—Vipond, Far Hider, Brave Boy, Herilda and Bype.

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

CURRAGH, Tuesday.

A fine morning.

DAWSON'S Holy Fooks, Kildaragh Boy, Chivane, Kiltaghan, Petit Beau, and Duke of Monaclear went a mile at a good pace; Miss Harris, Deceil, Avalanche, Ligurian, Sarbonier, and Argentan five furlongs.

REIDY'S Little Marten compassed a mile and a quarter steadily.

STAUNTON'S Irish Paddy and Little Eva's Rose canter five furlongs.

GLEESON'S Miss Miranda, Scarlet Pimpernel, Lord Burdon, and Light Hussar covered six furlongs.

DOYLE'S Tipperary Boy went seven furlongs sharply; Scarlet Stripes one mile at a good pace; the three-year-olds entered five furlongs.

ROGERS'S Hostility, Starman, Larkspur, Bridgnorth, Magicrose, and others of the string were usefully employed.

HARTIGAN'S and PARKINSON'S teams had healthy exercise.

Selections for Dundalk:—
Bunleer Plate—LARRY THE FLAIL.
Arden Plate—BLACK TOT.
Summer Plate—KNOCKEFFER.
Mountjoy Stud Plate—LAVOY.
Cooley Plate—SNARE or CHICANE.

(ADVERTISEMENT.)

"Daily Express," Scout's Safety Bet, 7.15. Read Manchester—STACKPOLE (to win). Income Tax Man," 1.45 Race, Pontefract—KEFEZUOZEKE (each way); 4 absent, 4DOUBLES (each way).

ROSCOMMON.

FOUR ODDS-ON FAVOURITES WIN.

SILPHO'S FOURTH SUCCESS.

The racing at Roscommon yesterday was much better than at many of the meetings held on more pretentious lines during the long spell of drought. Thirty runners was a satisfactory total as fields go nowadays, and if backers had the best of matters in the early stages, when four odds-on favourites in succession came home, the layers had their turn over the last two races. A plentiful fall of rain during the previous day had little effect on the going, which was still on the hard side, but a fine covering of grass helped to take away any jarring effects from the galloping. Messrs. Usher's and Cleary's stables won a couple of races apiece.

Striped Silk had a moderate lot in opposition in the Whelan Plate and readily landed the spoils, while Silpho so far outclassed his three opponents in the Byrne Steeplechase that the race was something approaching a walk-over for him, the only interest attaching to the event being the race for second place, which went to Mr. T. O'Rourke's five-year-old, In Memoriam. Myra M. was saddled for the Mapother Plate in preference to the Harrieen Plate, and as the two horses were never any prospect of her beating Prudent Lad, whose ultimate success was apparent at every stage of the race. Rare Sort beating Cloughlin in the three miles Steeplechase was the fourth successive favourite to score in a canter, but, after his success, the remaining races were of a more open character.

Larry the Flail had disappointed his connections at Tipperary, where it was thought the nature of the course did not allow him to gallop freely. He was again made favourite for the Harrison Plate, and ran the fine galloping stretches of this course did not show to any greater advantage. It was an interesting race with Craobhog, Carn, White Hill and Coolure all flattering in the last couple of furlongs, and it was only in the closing stages that Carn established superiority. Northern Linnet and Little Mick, the two best-fancied of the six runners for the Neilan Steeplechase, had their chance seriously jeopardised early in the race through running the wrong side of a post. This caused them to be tailed off, and gave them little chance of having a say in the finish, Northern Linnet did make up a lot of ground and in the straight looked to have a chance of winning, but the effort took too much out of him, and he had to be content with third position, behind Yours Only and Johnny T., the former of this pair snatching a clever short head victory. Details:—

2.0—WHELAN PLATE of 35 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 2 m.

Mr. R. Power's ch. f. SHIPHALK, by Ivy—George—Pambula, 4, 10-5 ..... M. Wing 1
Mr. Jas. Power's g. HEART NATIVE, by ..... W. Quinn 2
Mr. T. Black's GLENIDEN, aa 13-3 ..... J. Lynn 0

Mr. T. G. Dillon's Sandrose, 5, 11-3..Ward 0
Mr. C. T. Vandeleur's Jury Singer, 5, 11-3 ..... Owner 0

(Winner trained by Mr. H. Gasher.)

Betting—3 to 1 on SHIPHALK, 7 to 1 agst. Glenideu and Dry Ginger, 10 to 1 Sandrose, 20 to 1 Dusky Natty, and 100 to 1 each other.

Sandrose set the pace to Dusky Natty, Striped Silk, Dry Ginger and Glenideu, for half the journey, when Striped Silk took up the front of Dusky Natty, and making the remainder of the running, won in a canter by fifteen lengths; three lengths divided second and third. Dry Ginger was fourth.

2.30—BYRNE PLATE of 35 sovs. A steeplechase for maiden chase horses. 3 m.

Major Holliday's b. g. SILPHO, by Carcyra—Ardee Plate—Adamstel. ..... Age st. lb. 12 7
Mr. T. Groarke's IN MEMORIAM, 5, 11-3 ..... Mr. J. W. Cleary 2
Mr. J. Groarke's PIPER'S BUSH, 5, 11-3 ..... J. M'Carthy 3
Mr. T. P. O'Reilly's Alice More, 5, 10-12 ..... G. M'Donald 0

(Winner trained by Mr. M. Arnott.)

Betting—4 to 1 on SILPHO, 10 to 1 agst. In Memoriam or any other.

Silpho never once in front of Alice More and In Memoriam, and making all the running, won in a canter by twenty lengths; four lengths divided second and third.

3.0—MAPOTHER PLATE of 40 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 2 m.

Capt. K. Tuthill's b. g. PRUDENT LAD, by Purgerelle—Prudent Girl ..... Age st. lb. Mr. J. H. Wallace 1
Mr. E. Horsman's PRICKLES, 5, 12-0 D. Ward 2
..... Mr. J. Farragher 3
Mr. T. Killian's jun. Mind Me, 5, 11-7 ..... Mr. T. Leavy 0
Mr. T. O'Rourke's Oliver's Mint, 5, 11-1 ..... Mr. H. J. Dennis 0

(Winner trained by Mr. H. S. Kenny.)

Betting—2 to 1 on PRUDENT LAD, 5 to 2 agst. Oliver's Mint, 10 to 1 Myra M. or any other.

Myra M. led from Prickles, Prudent Lad, Oliver's Mint and Mind Me, to the straight, where Prudent Lad came away, and won in a canter by ten lengths; three lengths between second and third. Oliver's Mint was fourth.

3.30—HAYDEN PLATE of 40 sovs. A weight-for-age race. 1¼ m.

Mr. J. Murray's ch. g. RARE SORT, by Beal—Miss Dillon—Paddy's dam, 12-4 ..... Mr. J. W. Cleary 1
Mr. Jas. Walshe's CLONGIFFEN, a, 11-12 ..... J. O'Neill 2

(Winner trained by Mr. R. G. Cleary.)

Betting—6 to 4 on RARE SORT, 5 to 2 agst. Clongiffen led for two miles, when Rare Sort drew to the front and, making the remainder of the running, won in a canter by fifteen lengths.

3.50—HARRISON PLATE of 50 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1¼ m.

Mr. W. O. Bourke's Carn, 5, 12-7 ..... C. Barry 1
Lightfoot—Verdant Isle, 5, 9-5 ..... J. M'Carthy 2
Mr. J. Groarke's CRAOBHOG, 8, 10-5 ..... Mr. W. Stephenson's COOLURE, 5, 9-0 ..... J. Hogan, jun. 3

(Winner trained by Mr. J. Stephenson.)

Betting—Sporting Chronicle"—6 to 4 agst. Craobhog, Carn and White Hill, 5 to 1 Coolure, 100 to 7 Pretty Dear, 100 to 8 any other.

Pretty Dear set the pace to Coolure, Larry the Flail, Craobhog, Carn and White Hill for half the journey, when Coolure went on in front of Craobhog, Cappylass, Carn, Larry the Flail and White Hill. In the straight Carn moved up to the leaders, and taking command, came away in fine style, won by three lengths; two lengths divided second and third. Larry the Flail was fourth, Cappylass fifth, and Larry the Flail next.

4.30—NEILAN PLATE of 40 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m.

Mrs. Croft's ch. g. YOURS ONLY, by Yourshire—The Accepted, a, 10-10 ..... J. Hogan, jun. 1
Mr. J. Rooney's JORNY T., 5, 11-7 ..... Mr. S. H. Dennis 2
Mr. P. Rogers's NORTHERN LINNET, 5, 11-2 ..... D. Ward 3
Mr. F. Pope's White Kyss, a, 11-8 ..... J. M'Carthy 0
Mr. P. Murray's Westown, 6, 11-6 ..... W. Fagan 0
Mr. C. T. Vandeleur's Little Mick, 5, 12-2 ..... J. Lyon 0

(Winner trained by Mr. H. Gasher.)

Betting—2 to 1 each agst. Northern Linnet and Little Mick, 4 to 1 White Kyes, 6 to 1 YOURS ONLY, 10 to 1 each other.

Northern Linnet and Little Mick ran out after half a mile, but were righted and went on in pursuit of the others. Johnny T. cut out the work from Yours Only, White Kyes and Westown until close home, when Yours Only challenged and won by a short head; six lengths divided second and third. White Kyes was fourth, Westown fifth, and Little Mick next.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Owners and trainers should note that entries close to-day for Phœnix Park, Curragh, Mallow, Galway (one race), and Tuam meetings.

In the Amateur Cup at Bibury yesterday Santavon was pulled up some distance short of the post, and trotted in. It transpired that both stirrup leathers had broken.

Jockeys' engagements at Pontefract to-day include the following:—Speculation Handicap—Miss Myra (Lindborg). Yorkshire Handicap—Lomcena (Lindborg). Welter Handicap—Heather Bee (Lindborg).

After the race for the Neilan Plate at Roscommon yesterday Mr. C. T. Vandeleur, the owner of Little Mick, requested the Stewards to ask J. Lynn, the rider, why the horse ran out. Having heard Lyynn's explanation the Stewards accepted same.

The field for the Irish Oaks at the Curragh on the 22nd inst. will include the smart English-trained filly, Ventose, trained by Harper at Eversleigh. She will be the mount of H. H. Beasley. May Orb has been struck out of the race, and so also has the filly by By George!—Arcola.

Jockeys' engagements at Salisbury to-day include the following:—2 o'clock—Atholl's Dew (H. Beasley), Lawn Dance colt (Walsh), Pretty colt (Jelliss). 2.30—Pendor (Mr. Kirk), Sun Gold (Mr. Gunter), Double Pass (Mr. H. Nugent). 3 o'clock—Sandblast (Perryman), Kwannon (McLachlan, jun.), Despote (Richards), Shining Spear (A. Burns), Sebastian (Pryor). 3.30—Almond Wine (R. Jones), Gay Canopy (A. Burns), Procis (Richards), Winoya (H. Beasley), Irish Weeds (Brennan). 4 o'clock—Pheidon (R. Jones), Wise Move (McLachlan, jun.), Pard (A. Burns), Happy Elf (Richards), Twinkler (Bullock). 4.30—Alcove (J. Evans), Vendemaire (A. Burns).

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DUNDALK.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Dundalk is so easy to reach from Dublin, thanks to the ample railway facilities provided, that strong support from the metropolis may reasonably be expected for the meeting which opens to-day. The recent heavy rainfall which visited the district has left the going in excellent condition, and, judging by the number of horses under orders to fulfil engagements, fields of nice strength will be seen out. In addition to the ordinary trains from Amiens street at 9.15 and 11.30, a fast special leaves each morning of the meeting at 12.15 and returns at 6 o'clock. Selections are as follow:—

Dunleer Plate—**Charabanc** or **Puri.**
Ardee Plate—**Adamstel.**
Summer Plate—**Drumissatis.**
Mount Pleasant Plate—**Letham.**
Cooley Plate—**Pride of Delvin.**
Bellurgan Plate—**Snare** or **Southern Palm.**

2.30—DUNLEER PLATE of 50 sovs. of which the second will receive 5 sovs. A weight for age hurdle race. 1¾ m.

	Age st. lb.
MRS. JIGGS (Mr. J. H. Wallace)..Owner	5 11 7
LARRY THE FLAIL (Mr. R. Power) Arnott	5 11 7
BLACK TOT (Mr. J. Cuppage)..Usher	5 11 7
CHARABANC (Mr. ..... Quinn)..Usher	5 11 7
STONEYDALE (Mr. J. Turner)..Magee	4 10 10
ORBYS BELL (Mr. J. Turner)..Byrne	4 10 10
BATTAGLIA (Mrs. T. O'K. White Dawson	4 10 10
BATTLEFIELD (Mr. J. Cuppage)..Owner	4 10 10
LALLY (Mr. J. Corbett)..Wallace	4 10 10
MOLLY MALONE (Mrs. R. F. Goodman	Goodman	5 10 7
SOMERFORD (Mr. W. J. Hilliard)..Owner	5 10 7
PROUD FAIRY (Mr. C. Holmes Gibson	5 10 7
BLAKE (Mr. ..... Mitchell	5 10 7
MARSHILL (Mr. T. McManus)..Owner	5 10 7
WATERLANDER (Mr. J. Morrin)..Owner	5 10 7
DRY GINGER (Mr. C. T. Vandeleur) Owner	5 10 7

3.0—ARDEE PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A steeplechase. Weight for age, etc. 3m. 800yds.

	Age st. lb.
FRANCIS BROWN (Miss M. Brown) Kearns	6 12 8
GRECIAN WAVE (Mr. ..... Hume	6 12 8
KANOWNA (Lord Lascelles)..Morrison	a 12 8
MIDIMOOR (Mr. R. J. Duggan) Usher	5 11 5
GLENNAVY (Mr. ..... Magee	a 10 11
LITTLE MICK (Mr. C. T. Vandeleur) ..... Mr. F. Walker	6 11 0
FLAMEKEEP (Mr. R. Wallace)..Owner	a 10 11
CORONER'S (Mr. ..... Mitchell	a 10 11
GOLDEN REBEL (Mrs. Croft)..Owner	a 10 11
PHOENIX (Mr. ..... Hill	a 10 11
LITTLE CLITTER (Major C. Mitchell) ..... Fitzpatrick	6 10 7
ADAMSTOL (Mr. H. I. Umbers)..Owner	5 10 7
PLAIN TIM (Mr. R. Bruton)..Owner	5 10 7

3.30—SUMMER PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A flat race. Weight for age, etc.

	Age st. lb.
RATIFY (Mr. C. Hope) ..... Hope	4 12 0
BRAVE MAN (Mr. L. R. Ward)..Ward	5 10 7
DRUMLASSIE (Capt. R. B. Brasier-Hartigan	5 10 3
MONTPELIER (Capt. R. B. Brasier) ..... H. Hartigan	4 10 3
KNOCKEFFER (Capt. T. W. Hughes) ..... Hughes	4 9 12
STRIPED SILK (Mr. R. Power)..Usher	4 9 12
SULPHURIC ACID (Mr. Jas. Coldrick) ..... Mr. C. Ryan	6 9 12
FATHER TOM (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	5 9 3
CLARE CRAG (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ..... Owner	4 8 9
ERINS MAID (Mr. R. C. Ross)..... Moss	4 8 9
PARET (Mr. ..... Mitchell	4 8 9
KING'S FLIGHT (Mr. J. Galvin)..Owner	6 8 9
GOLDEN GLEN (Mr. ..... Mitchell	4 8 9
LOMOSDAIN (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner	5 8 9
LADY GWALIA (Mr. J. Corbett)..Wallace	4 8 9

4.0—DRY GINGER PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2m. 160yds.

	Age st. lb.
LYTHAM (Mr. J. J. Wilkinson) H. Hartigan	6 12 0
LINDANOS (Mr. ..... Harrison)..Owner	6 12 0
MONKYGOLD LASS (Mr. ..... Bustler) ..... Owner	5 12 0
SANDERS (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) ..... Owner	5 11 7
COYER A WINK (Miss M. Wallace) Wallace	5 11 7
GOLDEN RAMBLER (Mr. ..... Bustler) ..... Owner	5 11 7
PATSY WHACK (Miss A. Warden)..Private	5 11 0
JACK SPARROW (Mr. D. Harvey) Owner	5 11 0
JACK DUNNE (Mr. J. Cuppage)..Owner	5 11 0
DON RANCHO (Mr. T. O'Rourke)..Owner	5 11 0
DUBLAST (Mr. J. Corbett)..Wallace	5 11 0
ROINNE (Mr. R. Delany)..Owner	5 11 0
LANARK (Mr. R. Delany)..Owner	5 11 0
BUSTER (Mr. T. O'Rourke)..Alexander	4 11 7
BALLYMAC (Mr. ..... Mitchell	4 11 7
STRAW HILL (Mr. R. M. Smith) ..... Walker	4 11 7
BRIGHT SPARK (Mr. ..... Mitchell	4 11 7

4.30—COOLEY PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m.

	Age st. lb.
TAKE NOTICE (Sir T. Ainsworth) Alexander	a 12 0
PRINCE OF DELVIN (Mr. T. O'Rourke) ..... Owner	a 11 7
SOLUS (Mr. R. Wallace) ..... Owner	a 11 7
KILBARRY (Lady Eva Forbes) ..... Owner	a 11 7
SHANTY BOATS (Mr. W. Fitzsimons) Owner	a 11 7
SURREY (Mr. Jas. Fitzsimons)..Malone	a 10 11
JESS BELL (Mr. Mrs. Croft)..Usher	a 10 11
SOUTHERN GIRL (Mr. ..... Garrett ..... Mr. J. Farragher	6 10 0
KILMEAGUE (Mr. P. J. Cowan)..Owner	a 10 7
MICK MOLLOY (Mr. C. S. Malone)..Owner	a 10 7
BELLURGAN (Mr. ..... Mitchell	a 10 7

5.0—BELLURGAN PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 180 yds.

	Age st. lb.
TIPPERARY BOY (Mr. John Doyle) Owner	a 12 0
LARRY THE FLAIL (Mr. R. Power) Arnott	5 9 0
LADY NIGHTINGALE (Mr. P. A. ..... Tuite	4 8 9
SKARE ON (Mr. T. J. Taaffe)..Arnott	3 8 9
TAILTE (Mr. R. Carrill)..Coombe	6 8 9
TIPPY (Mr. D. Frame) Staunton	5 8 7
BREA (Mr. ..... Mr. ..... Farragher	3 8 4
SOUTHERN PALM (Mr. J. H. Wilkinson) ..... H. Hartigan	3 8 4
OLLA (Mr. A. M'Dowell)..Dawson	3 8 4
LADY J. (Mr. Geo. Goodman) ..... Mr. H. J. Dennis	4 8 0
FORE AND AFT (Mr. Herbert Mosker) ..... Edwards	4 8 0
GENERIC (Mr. T. Dolan)..Owner	a 7 13
NATURAL SPORT (Mr. T. Dicken)..Owner	a 7 13
ROYAL ROSS (Mr. C. J. Russell) Mangan	5 7 10
PRINCE (Mr. D. J. ..... Mr. ..... Mr. J. Farragher	5 7 7
IRISH TEMPLE (Mr. J. O'Loughlin) Rea	3 7 7
CHICANE (Mr. A. M'Cann)..Dawson	3 7 7

NOTTINGHAM RESULTS.

2.0—NETHERFIELD SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. For two-year-olds. Second saves entrance. 5 f.

Mr. R. Brendon's b. f. MERRY WIT, by Black Jester—Sabrina, 8-9 ..... F. Fox 1
Capt. M. Weyland's HUNTING HARRY, 8-12 ..... R. Perryman 2
Mr. H. Melville's VENZELT, 8-9 ..... J. Taylor 3
Also ran—Khamwese (J. Reany), Alice Loach, Sunrise Party (V. Sleish), Solemn Silence (G. Archibald), Little Archer (J. Dines), Marshall Haze (G. Archibald). Off 2.1. (Winner trained by Foster.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—6 to 4 on Hunting Harry, 11 to 2 agst. MERRY WIT, 7 to 1 Khamwese, 10 to 1 Alice Loach, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by three lengths; same. Khamwese was fourth and Alice Loach next.

The winner was sold to Mr. F. J. Benson for 320 guineas.

2.30—RATCLIFFE SELLING PLATE. A high-weight handicap for three-year-olds. Second receives entrance out of plate. 1¼ m. and a few yds.

Mr. H. J. Beamy's br. h. SON O' LOVE, by Sonsy—La Lavenisk, 4-1 ..... Ward 1
Mr. R. Day's MONTAGUE, 5, 9-3 ..... J. Evans 2
Lord Glanely's KING EMPEROR, 4, 9-0 ..... G. Archibald 3

Also ran—Paddy (J. Leach), Florid (C. Smirke), Bashford (A. Day), Cool Cards (D. Buchanan), Concession (T. Weston), Midnight Folly (McLaughlin), The Cock (W. Nurse), Front Row (C. Parker), Polisson (H. Graham), Horier (G. Walsh). "Dead-heat for second place. Off 2.31. (Winner trained by Eastman.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—7 to 2 agst. Florid, 9 to 2 The Cock (7 to 2 King Emperor), 6 to 1 Bashford, 7 to 1 Paddy, 10 to 1 Concession, 100 to 8 Son o' Love or any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; dead-heat for second place. Weight for age, etc. Six ran.

3.0—SOLSOVER THREE YEARS OLD HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. 5 f.

Mr. Z. G. Michalino's ch. c. ESPEROS, by Pommern—Benbain ..... W. Alford 1
Mr. J. C. Gaulstaun's PENSACOLA, 8-8 ..... G. Archibald 2

Capt. M. Weyland's JESS, 8-0 ..... H. Bennett 3

Also ran—Hurry Back (V. Smyth), Swastika (C. Elliott), Princess Pauline (H. Wragg), Lemnos (J. Tigg), Golden Ferry (D. Bonham), Barbara Godolphin (W. Murch), Castlederg (G. Walsh), Inverpark (T. Weston), Aureate (A. Lindberg), Papillon (C. Rawlet), Saunderton (K. Goodall), Sergon (D. Morris), Mountain Blue (R. Clarke), Off 3.31. (Winner trained by F. Neal.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—2 to 1 agst. Swastika, 4 to 1 Pensacola, 7 to 1 each ESPEROS and Aureate, 10 to 1 Saunderton, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a neck; three-quarters of a length. Princess Pauline was fourth and Hurry Back last.

3.30—DUKERIES' FOAL PLATE of 1,000 sovs. 750 sovs. to the owner of the winner. 1 m.

Mr. H. C. Sutton's DUKERIES, by Blink—Babelina, 8-13 ..... T. Weston 1
Lord Penrhyn's FIELD DAY, 8-4 ..... C. Elliott 2
Sir G. Berwick's NOVO MONASTE, 8-4 ..... Childs 3

Off 3.31. (Winner trained by W. Waugh.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—6 to 1 on MY CRACKERS, 8 to 1 agst. any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a neck; three-quarters of a length. Princess Pauline was fourth and Hurry Back last.

3.30—DUKERIES' FOAL PLATE of 1,000 sovs. 750 sovs. to the owner of the winner. 1 m.

Mr. H. C. Sutton's DUKERIES, by Blink—Babelina, 8-13 ..... T. Weston 1
Lord Penrhyn's FIELD DAY, 8-4 ..... C. Elliott 2
Sir G. Berwick's NOVO MONASTE, 8-4 ..... Childs 3

Off 3.31. (Winner trained by W. Waugh.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—6 to 1 on MY CRACKERS, 8 to 1 agst. any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by three lengths; a neck separated second and third.

4.0—SLUMBER MAIDEN PLATE of 200 sovs. For two years old. Second receives 30 sovs. 5 f. out of the plate.

Mr. H. I. Sutton's br. f. GREEN GODDESS, by Torloisk—Maid of the Valley, 8-7 T. Weston 1
Colonel Story's SILVER EAGLE, 8-7 H. Jelliss 2
Lieut.-Colonel G. Loder's RED LEG, 8-7 ..... G. Archibald 3

Also ran—Cheops (J. Childs), Silver Light colt (F. Fox), Pricton Ignotus (F. Winter), Newton (J. Leach), Norman Duke (H. Robbins), Haxy Friar (J. Evans), Rule Nisi filly (C. Aldridge), Tor Achilty (R. Burke), Glen Dhu (G. Walsh), Mouth Organ filly (C. Elliott), On the Wing (G. Harrison), Arran Rose (H. Wragg). Off 4.2. (Winner trained by W. Waugh.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—6 to 4 agst. GREEN GODDESS, 2 to 1 Red Leg, 7 to 1 Arran Rose, 10 to 1 Glen Dhu, 20 to 1 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by three lengths; a short head. Tor Achilty was fourth and Pricton Ignotus last.

4.30—NEWARK PLATE. A high-weight handicap of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. 5 f.

Mr. P. P. Finn's br. h. FAIRY ELF, by Fairy King—Vay, 5-12 ..... J. Leach 1
Mr. J. Benson's SUNNY SOUTH, 9-6 ..... W. Smyth 2
Mr. C. F. Wylam's HONEY GUIDE, 4, 8-7 ..... F. Fox 3

Also ran—Battery Smoke (J. Taylor), Sharp Son (J. Evans), Polusha (T. Weston), Cool Cards (D. James), Little Bit of Fluff (K. Robertson), Tolla Island, Marcus Wave (W. Murch), Silver Tail (A. Lindberg). Off 4.30. (Winner trained by R. Dunn.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—5 to 2 agst. Sunny South, 3 to 1 each Battery Smoke, Cool Cards, and Honey Guide, 8 to 1 FAIRY ELF, 10 to 1 Sharp Son, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length; a length and a half. Polusha was fourth and Little Bit of Fluff last.

SALISBURY.

POLAZEL TAKES THE AMATEUR CUP.

IMPARAT WINS BY A HEAD.

The Bibury fixture, which opened yesterday, was favoured with summer weather. It was unfortunate that the heavy storm during the night had not improved the state of the going to any extent. There was strong support given to the Maiden Two-Year-Old Plate, which, unhappily for backers, included Philippa of Hainault, who closed a warm favourite. She jumped off smartly, but did not find the stamina and weakened, as she had done in previous races. The winner turned up in the Beckhampton representative, Coronach, who ran instead of Some June. Finn Onn, who was well supported, failed to get placed, although she ran well. Coronach won with a little in hand and can be expected to improve.

The main interest in the Wilton Handicap was at the distance, when the favourite, Dalnamein, closed with Mermaid and Arausio and went on to score by a length.

Hydrangea had little difficulty in winning the opening selling race after settling down in the lead from the start. The last quarter-mile introduced a challenger in Warways, who put in some strong work, but the filly kept her end up and stayed on to score.

The first leg of Escott's anticipated double scored when Polazel won the Amateurs' Cup, ridden by Mr. Miss. The winner was always pulling and her two amiable attendants and had little difficulty in scoring.

The Wiltshire Stakes resolved itself into a match between F. Bullock and H. Beasley on Laughter Tor and Imparat respectively. Imparat won by a head after a fine finish, flooring the long odds laid on the other.

Killucan won the Dunbridge Plate comfortably from Talemonte and Theodora.

2.0—SALISBURY MAIDEN T.Y.O. PLATE of 200 sovs., each, with 300 sovs. added. Two-year-olds. Second receives 50 sovs., and third 10 sovs. 5 f.

	st. lb.
Lord Woolavington's ch. c. CORONACH, by Hurry On—Wet Kiss, 9-0 ..... W. Wells	1
Mr. H. I. Cottrill's COED CANLAS, 8-11 ..... R. Perryman	2

Mr. F. W. Morley's PHILIPPA OF HAINAULT, 8-11 ..... G. Richards | 3

Also ran—Beaujeu (T. Pryor), Saint Reynard (W. Smyth), Gripconinand (J. W. Martin), Roppy (L. Brown), John Clanchy (H.

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CRICKET.

IRELAND v. SCOTLAND.

In addition to the two changes already announced in the Gentlemen of Ireland XI. to play Gentlemen of Scotland in the College Park on Saturday, Monday, and Tuesday next, we understand that it is unlikely E. L. Kidd will be able to take his place.

This is due to the new ruling of the M.C.C. that a player cannot play for a county and a dependency or colony in a first class match in same season.

The visitors, who will be entertained to dinner in Mills' Hall, Merrion Row, on Saturday night, are travelling a very strong side, included in which is J. W. Kerr, regarded as the best amateur batsman in Scotland. A tea tent, in charge of a committee of ladies, will be available each afternoon, and play will commence at 11.30. The umpires will be Gorman (Leinster) and Byrne (Phœnix).

CAMBRIDGE RECOVER BAD START.

DRYING WICKETS.

Heavy rain during the early morning completely changed the conditions at Lords yesterday, and in having to face a total of 350 Cambridge had a hard task. Still, although resumption was delayed an hour, the pitch, drying slowly in the absence of sun, never became really difficult, and splendid batting by Duleepsinhji and Enthoven enabled Cambridge to make an effective reply, the position at the close of a keen day's cricket being that the Light Blues, with six wickets in hand, were 110 behind.

Forceful batting by Gilliat and Hewetson yielded 34 runs for Oxford's three outstanding wickets in the morning and Cambridge put upon their innings just before lunch. The Light Blues' start was none too promising, for Francis might have been caught and run out when only 3. However, Dawson batted with great determination, occasionally hitting hard on the on-side and an opening partnership of 40 resulted. Then followed a keen struggle for runs, Duleepsinhji and Dawson being kept strictly on the defensive by Greenstock's good length slow bowling. Caution failed, however, for Dawson played hard on at 58 after a steady innings of eighty minutes, and Bennett had his middle stump knocked back by a yorker 19 runs later.

With three good batsmen gone, Cambridge were badly placed, and much depended on Duleepsinhji and Enthoven, both of whom rose to the occasion in excellent style in a partnership of 110 in ninety minutes. Overbalancing when playing forward and being smartly stumped at that stage, Duleepsinhji gave a stylish display for two hours and a half. A combination of stern defence and powerful strokes on the leg side made his innings invaluable, his 75 including nine 4's, only one of which, an on drive, was in front of the wicket. Enthoven, his partner, enjoyed a fair share of luck, being badly missed in the slips at 19 and 41, and for these mistakes Oxford had to pay dearly. Their change of bowling presented little difficulties, as the pitch became faster, and another profitable stand of 53 ensued. Enthoven, who completed 50 in eighty-five minutes, revealed splendid powers of off driving, and Crawley hit away in his usual vigorous style. Fortunately, rain held off during the day.

With the exception of the Derbyshire-Leicestershire match, all the county games yesterday were played to a finish. Rain was general in the early hours of the morning, and on drying wickets bowlers had matters very much their own way.

The following were the chief performances:

BATTING.

S. Duleepsinhji (Oxford v. Cambridge).... 78
H. J. Enthoven (Oxford v. Cambridge), not out 74

BOWLING.

Bestwick (Derbyshire v. Leicestershire)... 7 for 20
R. Tyldesley (Lancashire v. Sussex)..... 7 for 43
Geary (Hampshire v. Surrey) ..... 7 for 45
Schelding (Derbyshire v. Leicestershire)... 5 for 54

OXFORD V. CAMBRIDGE.

At Lord's. Score:—

OXFORD—First Innings.

J. L. Guise b	9	J. S. Stephenson c Crawley b Meyer	31
Enthoven	58	H. Stewart-Brown b Gilliat	0
F. H. Stewart-Brown c Francis b Jagger	56	C. Duleepsinhji b Enthoven	29
G. W. Lyon c Jagger b Meyer	0	T. B. Jagger c Hewetson b Meyer	15
E. R. T. Holmes c Meyer b Jagger	15	J. Jagger b Meyer	15
Bennett b Lowe	24	H. W. Greenstock not out	1
C. H. Taylor b Jagger	41	Extras	29
G. B. Legge c Duleepsinhji b Meyer	36	Total	350
J. V. Richardson c Duleepsinhji b Meyer	28		
Total	350		

CAMBRIDGE—First Innings.

F. W. Dawson b	58	J. Enthoven not out	74
Hewetson c	29	L. G. Crawley not out	30
T. N. Francis b	3	Extras	4
Greenstock	19		
K. S. Duleepsinhji st Gilliat b Guise	75	Total (4 wkts.)...	240
G. T. Bennett b Hewetson	12		
H. Gilliat c and b Meyer	0		
H. Lowe, S. T. Jagger, A. V. Payne, and Hon. F. S. G. Calthorpe did not bat.			

Enthoven, 2 for 56; Meyer, 4 for 96; Lowe, 1 for 40; Jagger, 4 for 76; Duleepsinhji, 1 for 53.

HAMPSHIRE V. SURREY.

At Portsmouth. Surrey won by 82 runs. Score:—

SURREY. Second Innings.

Sandham b Boyes	133	c Hosie b Boyes	50
A. T. Jeacocke b Kennedy	8	st Livsey b Boyes	0
Ducat c Jameson b Kennedy	39	run out	18
Shepherd b Kennedy	0	c Livsey b Brown	70
D. R. Jardine l.b.w. b Kennedy	18	run out	40
M. Howell c Mead b Newman	15	b Kennedy	0
P. G. A. Fender c Jameson b Boyes	13	c and b Brown	22
Newman	19	c Aird b Kennedy	9
Sadler b Boyes	3	b Brown	9
Geary c Newman b Boyes	0	not out	0
Strudwick not out	4	b Kennedy	0
Extras	24	Extras	9
Total	272	Total	257

HAMPSHIRE.

Newman c Sadler b Geary	8	b Geary	41
Brown l.b.w. b Sheppard	40	c Geary b Peach	2
R. Aird l.b.w. b Fender	13	c Jeacocke b Geary	1
Mead not out	115	b Fender	43
Livsey c and b Fender	6	l.b.w. b Fender	8
Hon. L. H. Tennyson c Ducat b Sadler	3	c Shepherd b Geary	11
Major A. G. Bignell b Fender	11	c Ducat b Geary	4
A. L. Hosie c Strudwick b Peach	38	c Fender b Geary	9
Kennedy b Fender	13	b Fender	12
Jameson b Sheppard	0	b Fender	0
Boyes l.b.w. b Peach	6	not out	0
Extras	18	Extras	18
Total	299	Total	148

Bowling—Surrey, First Innings—Kennedy, 4 for 58; Brown, 0 for 37; Boyes, 4 for 75; Newman, 2 for 54; Jameson, 0 for 16. Second Innings—Kennedy, 3 for 63; Brown, 3 for 57; Newman, 0 for 21; Jameson, 0 for 59; Boyes, 2 for 66.

Hampshire.—First Innings—Peach, 2 for 61; Geary, 3 for 43; Fender, 5 for 85; Shepherd, 1 for 76; Sadler, 1 for 27. Second Innings—Peach, 2 for 26; Fender, 3 for 56; Geary, 6 for 52; Shepherd, 0 for 17.

KENT V. WARWICKSHIRE.

At Tunbridge Wells. Kent won by 8 wickets. Score:—

KENT.

Hardinge c Cook b Calthorpe	2	not out	12
Collins b Wyatt	63	b Howell	3
Ashdown c Santall b Woolley	60	b Wyatt	17
Hearne c Smith b Cook	4	not out	1
Freeman b Cook	0		
Cant. Cornwallis b Cook	0		
Extras	19	Extras	2
Total	312	Total (2 wkts.)...	35

WARWICKSHIRE.

Smith b Freeman	30	c Freeman b Hardinge	23
Parsons c Cornwallis b Wright	13	c Hearn b Hardinge	47
Bates c Woolley b Freeman	9	st Hubble b Freeman	17
Quaife out	43	c Bryan b Freeman	15
Hon. F. S. G. Calthorpe c Wright b Woolley	4	c Hardinge b Freeman	1
Croom c Hearn b Woolley	7	c Hearn b Wright	31
Santall c Collins b Freeman	8	c Wright b Hardinge	25
R. E. S. Wyatt c Hardinge b Freeman	0	c Hubble b Wright	15
Cox c Hubble b Woolley	0	not out	12
Howell c Hubble b Cooke	8	b Wright	0
Cooke c Hubble b Freeman	0	b Wright	0
Woolley not out	6	Extras	23
Total	137	Total	209

Bowling.—Kent, First Innings—Howell, 0 for 50; Calthorpe, 1 for 29; Cook 5 for 23; Wyatt, 1 for 55; Quaife, 2 for 42; Santall, 1 for 43; Fox, 0 for 29; Croom, 0 for 20; Parsons, 0 for 5. Second Innings—Howell, 1 for 3; Calthorpe, 0 for 8; Wyatt, 1 for 13.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE V. ESSEX.

At Kettering. Essex won by 229 runs. Score:—

ESSEX. First Innings.		Second Innings.	
L. C. Eastman c P. Wright b Clark	0	c P. Wright b Clark	4
Cutmore c Woolley b P. Wright	41	c P. Wright b Woolley	81
Freeman c Bellamy b Clark	1	c Bellamy b Clark	3
Russell c Walden b P. Wright	74	c Woolley b P. Wright	78
P. Perrin c Jupp b Walden	102	c Walden b Woolley ..	0
O'Connor c Walden b Wright	0	not out	57
J. W. H. T. Douglas c sub. b Jupp	32	c and b P. Wright ..	7
H. M. Morris b P. Wright	3	not out	0
Hipkin b Jupp	4		
Nichols not out	9		
G. R. R. Brown b P. Wright	0		
Extras	29	Extras	11
Total	304	Total (6 wkts.).	*211

*Innings declared.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Walden c Nichols b Douglas	15	b Brown	29
Bellamy b Douglas..	15	c sub. b Brown	4
Woolley b Nichols..	3	c sub. b Hipkin	26
W. W. Timms l.b.w. b Douglas	74	c Eastman b Nichols	3
P. Wright c Jupp b Freeman	0	c Colmore b Eastman	5
R. Wright b Nichols	24	b Eastman	1
Thomas b Douglas..	8	c Douglas b Eastman	0
M. Fitzroy c and b Douglas	0	b Brown	16
P. Wright b Nichols.	15	c Brown b Eastman..	0
Murdin not out	6	not out	0
Clark b Nichols	1	st Freeman b Hipkin	0
Extras	19	Extras	3
Total	190	Total	96

Bowling.—Essex, First Innings—Clark, 2 for 34; P. A. Wright, 6 for 109; Thomas, 0 for 16; Jupp, 2 for 77; Murdin, 0 for 20; Walden, 0 for 12. Second Innings—Clark, 3 for 39; P. Wright, 3 for 79; Jupp, 0 for 27; Murdin, 0 for 11; Walden, 0 for 22; Woolley, 2 for 22.

Northamptonshire.—First Innings—Douglas, 5 for 52; Nichols, 5 for 53; O'Connor, 0 for 25; Hipkin, 0 for 5; Brown, 0 for 12; Russell, 0 for 5. Second Innings—Nichols, 1 for 21; Eastman, 4 for 34; Hipkin, 3 for 30; Brown, 3 for 16.

LANCASHIRE V. SUSSEX.

At Liverpool, Lancashire winning by an innings and 144 runs. Score:—

SUSSEX. First Innings.		Second Innings.	
		c Hopwood b R. Tyldesley	36
Bowley b Watson	11	b Tyldesley	22
Parks b Macdonald...	0	l.b.w. b R. Tyldesley	1
Capt. L. C. R. Isherwood b Macdonald.	0	c Sharp b R. Tyldesley	1
Cook c Duckworth b Macdonald	10	c Green b R. Tyldesley	9
Cornford c Watson b Macdonald	0	b Macdonald	0
Langridge b Iddon...	12	c Sharp b Macdonald	5
J. H. Naumann c Duckworth b Macdonald	28	not out	12
Colonel A. C. Watson c Duckworth b Watson	63	c Hopwood b R. Tyldesley	5
Cox b R. Tyldesley ..	6	c Iddon b R. Tyldesley	0
Wensley l.b.w. b R. Tyldesley	9	c Hopwood b R. Tyldesley	9
Tate not out	10	c Iddon b Macdonald	21
Extras	5	Extras	5
Total	147	Total	124

LANCASHIRE—First Innings.

Makepeace b Cox	14	Green b Tate	17
Hallows c Naumann b Langridge	165	Sharp b Tate	15
E. Tyldesley b Wensley	82	R. Tyldesley c Langridge b Tate	19
Ely	23	Duckworth not out...	9
Watson l.b.w. b Wensley	0	Extras	30
Hopwood l.b.w. b Bowley	11	Total (9 wkts.)...	*415
Macdonald b Tate....	16		

*Innings declared.

Bowling—Sussex, First Innings—Macdonald, 5 for 93; Watson, 0 for 53; Wensley, 2 for 123; Iddon, 1 for 7. Second Innings—Macdonald, 3 for 63; Watson, 0 for 13; R. Tyldesley, 5 for 45.

Lancashire.—First Innings—Tate, 4 for 102; Wensley, 2 for 120; Cox, 1 for 58; Parks, 0 for 67; Bowley, 1 for 42; Naumann, 0 for 8; Langridge, 1 for 11.

NOTTS V. GLAMORGAN.

At Nottingham. Notts won by 317 runs. Score:—

NOTTS. First Innings.		Second Innings.	
G. Gunn l.b.w. b Arnott	49	c Arnott b E. Davies	68
Whysall c Clay b Ryan	5	b Spencer	85
Walker c Ryan b Bates	35	not out	118
Lilley c Clay b Payton	27	l.b.w. b E. Davies..	62
Carnick b Bates	8	not out	15
F. Wright c Bates b Flint	0		
Richmond b Spencer	0		
Extras	14	Extras	23
Total	246	Total (3 wkts.)..	*368

*Innings declared.

GLAMORGAN. Second Innings.

T. Morgan b Staples	0	st Lilley b Richmond	25
Bates c Walker b Staples	10	c Lilley b Staples ..	34
F. Davies b Barratt	1	c Staples b Barratt..	14
T. Arnott c Kirk b Barratt	0	c and b Staples	42
C. Walters b Staples	3	b Larwood	55
Spencer b Larwood...	45	c Staples b Richmond	7
J. C. Clay c Staples b Larwood	38	c Staples b Barratt..	7
Ryan c Lilley b Larwood	0	c Staples b Barratt..	4
Mercer b Larwood...	2	st Whysall b Barratt.	4
Sullivan not out ...	28	c Whysall b Barratt..	6
Flint c Lilley b Larwood	0	not out	0
E. Davies b Staples	0	Extras	5
Extras	3		
Total	130	Total	205

Bowling.—Notts, First Innings—Arnott, 1 for 11; Mercer, 1 for 57; Spencer, 2 for 28; Ryan, 1 for 34; Bates, 4 for 42. Second Innings—Arnott, 1 for 64; Spencer, 1 for 64; Gunn, 0 for 39; Davies, 0 for 30; Bates, 0 for 49; E. Davies, 2 for 33; Clay, 0 for 22.

Glamorgan.—First Innings—Barratt, 2 for 56; Staples, 3 for 54; Larwood, 4 for 14; Richmond, 0 for 28. Second Innings—Barratt, 4 for 58; Staples, 3 for 81; Larwood, 1 for 16; Richmond, 2 for 49; Flint, 0 for 2.

DERBYSHIRE V. LEICESTERSHIRE.

At Burton. A draw. Score:—

DERBYSHIRE. First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Lee run out	10	c Astill b Schelding	24
Bowden c Fowke b Geary	55	c Astill b Bale	24
Townsend c Sidwell b Astill	59	c Smith b Schelding..	34
Gregory b Schelding	1	c Geary b Schelding..	9
Chapman b Geary ..	1	b Schelding	8
Smith	12	b Astill	6
Morton c Geary b Schelding	3	c Fowke b Bale	0
Sidwell c Horsley b Morton	10	b Bestwick	7
Smith b Heath	65	c Elliott b Morton...	10
Bale b Horsley	6	not out	2
Schelding not out ...	8		
Extras	23	Extras	3
Total	284	Total (9 wkts.)...	60

Bowling.—Derbyshire, First Innings—Schelding, 5 for 88; Astill, 1 for 58; Bale, 1 for 54; Heath, 1 for 36; Smith, 0 for 93; Sidpman, 1 for 16. Second Innings—Schelding, 6 for 34; Astill, 1 for 14; Bale, 1 for 4; Geary, 1 for 4.

Leicestershire.—First Innings—Bestwick, 3 for 62; Horsley, 2 for 63; Morton, 4 for 65; Heath, 1 for 45; Townsend, 0 for 21; Lee, 0 for 8. Second Innings—Bestwick, 6 for 20; Horsley, 1 for 21; Morton, 2 for 4; Heath, 0 for 12.

GENTLEMEN V. PLAYERS.

The following teams for the Gentlemen v. Players match at Lord's on Wednesday next were selected yesterday as follows:—

Gentlemen.—A. W. Carr (capt.), N. B. Sherrell, P. G. H. Fender, K. S. Duleepsinhji, R. H. Bettington, G. O. Allen, H. Sutcliffe, G. G. Stevens, Hon. F. S. G. Calthorpe, D. R. Jardine and J. L. Bryan.

Players—Hobbs (capt.), Strudwick, Tate, Macaulay, Kilner, Hallows, Hendren, Holmes, Sutcliffe, F. E. Woolley and Freeman (Kent).

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Pembroke v. Coolattin, Sydney Parade, 2.0.
Phœnix v. Clontarf, Phœnix Park, 2.0.
Richmond v. Pembroke Wanderers, Grangegorman
Merrion v. C.Y.M.S. (I.L.), Anglesea road.
Aravon School v. St. Gerards, Bray.
Monkstown 2nd v. Y.M.C.A. 3rd, Monkstown.
Y.M.C.A. Sandymount (Intermediate Cup), Claremont road.

Clontarf—R. Archer, F. P. Buxton, E. V. Cox, J. Ledwidge, W. C. Pemberton, E. N. Seymour, C. P. Stuart, J. M. Sweeney, O. P. Sweeney, G. A. Synnott and A. St. J. Wilson.

Pembroke.—D. C. Pickman (capt.), G. C. Byrne, S. Hodson, J. C. Hone, Murphy and J. Treacy. P. J. Keating, R. Dunn, C. B. Parker, A. H. Robinson, M. H. Maher.

SHOOTING.

BISLEY MEETING.

At Bisley yesterday the King's Medal for the best shot in the Army at 200 yards was won by Sergeant-Major W. Jagger, 2nd King's Royal Rifle Corps, with 176 points out of a possible 200; Captain Lindsay, Seaforth Highlanders, being second with 170.

The highest score among Territorial marksmen was made by Second-Lieutenant Johnson, Cambridge University O.T.C., with 168. He received the Territorial Army Rifle Association Gold Medal.

The 2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade team won the Chairmaster Cup, and Colonel Lord Cottesloe the Kings match rifle competition.

GOLF.

HARRY VARDON'S RETURN TO FORM.

EXTRAORDINARY SHOT BY HAVERS.

Harry Vardon has been regarded as a spent force in English golf recently, but yesterday he delighted the spectators in the Thousand Guineas Tournament at Moortown, near Leeds, by returning a fine 73, wherewith he shared first position among the many who are attempting to qualify for the match play stages with Wilson. Unable to get the prodigious distances of the younger players, he steered the ball down the middle, chipped to the green with delightful precision, and generally played like the master he is—except on the green. Vardon was always an uncertain putter, and yesterday he took three putts on each of the four greens, while at the seventeenth, after getting to within four feet of the pin with a drive and a pitch, he took two putts. Apart from his mistakes on the green his display was a superb one. Sir Cotman Joe Kirkwood, the sole representative of overseas, played so badly that after taking 85 for his first round he begged to be excused from further participation, and left Moortown later in the day en route for America. Only thirty-two of the players will qualify for the final stages, and another round has to be played to-day.

Havers had an excellent round of 75, but it included one extraordinary stroke. Very seldom does a player of such class as Havers miss the ball altogether. At the seventh hole, with his ball in rough ground, he attempted to play a spoon shot. His club went right underneath the ball, and cut it, which promptly curled up over the ball, and to leave him a difficult shot. Havers was quite satisfied that he had played a good shot, but it is to be assumed that the rough grass affected the swing of his club as alternatively made him miss-judge the lie.

The leading returns were:—

73—H. Vardon (South Herts) and Wilson (Crehan Hirst).

74—E. R. Whitcombe (Came Down), Roberts (Stoke Poges), Hobson (Cooden Beach), Ballantine (Sherwood Forest).

75—Compston (North Manchester), Jarman (Stockport), Good (Halifax), Havers (Coombe Hill), Pearce (Wearside), May (Benton Park).

76—Holland (Gerrards Cross), Sayner (Doncaster), Gadsin (Alwoodley), Monnox (Cleckheaton Heath), Walton (Lytham and St. Annes), Daragon (Tooting Bec), Twine (Ashford Manor), Raynford (North Shore, Blackpool).

77—J. H. Turner (Frilford Heath), Buckle (Brancaster), Allis (Wenstrod), King, jun. (Brancaster), Ockenden (Ranger Hill), Leaver (Worsley). Ray (Oxley), Loveridge (Shipley), Button (Woodsome Hall), Barber (Cavendish, Buxton).

COMPSTON AND RAY MATCHES.

An interesting match has been arranged for decision at Verulam on Wednesday, 15th inst., between Compston (North Manchester) and Ray (Oxhey). Play will be over 36 holes. Ray was Competon tied for second place in the Open Championship at Prestwick.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

PORTMARNOCK.—The Veterans' Cup, open to golfers over 50 years of age and members of a recognised Irish club, will be played for to-morrow. Draws 10 to 5.30 o'clock. Competitors may practice to-day.

MILLTOWN.—To-day—Cantwell Cup (presented by the late Mr. J. Cantwell)—Mixed foursome, 18 holes, bogey Players arrange partners and opponents. Scratch Cup—Saturday, 11th inst.; match play, heats and holes. Entries close to-morrow. Judy Medal, Class 1—Miss Kilduff, 5 holes up; D. Coyle, 3 down and D. Sullivan, 1 down; Class II.—P. Griffin, 1 up, and Dr. O'Grady, 1 up. Ladies' Branch.—To-morrow.—Club foursomes (Scotch), 18 holes, strokes. Draws 10.30, 11, 11.30, 2 and 2.30. Monthly Medal, Class I.—Miss Ryan (11), 3 up; Miss Hitchcock (7), beat Miss Warrington Champion, dam Tuthury Lass; 3rd, Mr. Roberts, Ballinasloe—Cahoon's Joseph, dam Prince of Mockross.

Class 15 (6 entries).—Two Year Old Gelding or Filly—1st prize, T. Murphy, White's Cross—Bay Filly; sire Kitchener's Boy, dam by Sowerby Shrubberi; 2nd, T. Corish, Dunleer—Brown Bess's pride, black and white legs; sire Moulton Forest Victor, dam Molly.

IRISH DRAUGHT HORSES.

Judge—Capt. McCarthy, Department of Lands and Agriculture.

STALLIONS.

Class 22 (4 entries).—For the best Irish Draught Mare, three years old and upwards—1st prize, Captain T. A. Clarke, Farran, Co. Cork—Molly of Farran, grey mare, 8 years; 2nd, Capt. A. Clarke—Farran Kora, grey filly, 3 years; sire, Kildare, dam Molly of Farran; 3rd, Con Ryan, Douglas Hall, Cork—Molly Grey, grey mare; reserved, Helena C. Scriven, Kilcen's Farm, Cork—Flurry, grey filly, 3 years.

CUPS AND SPECIAL PRIZES.

The O'Shea Cup, presented by Sir Henry O'Shea for the best yearling or two-year-old in Hunter Classes, won by J. J. O'Connell, Mallow, with Tanking.

The Bainbridge Cup, presented by Mrs. Bainbridge, Devon, for three-year-old fillies, won by D. Minor with The Princess.

The O'Donoghue Cup, presented by Mr. W. O'Donoghue for the best three-year-old Hunter Gelding won by Mrs. M. Barry, Lisgould, with Flash Ben.

HUNTERS.

Class 1 (22 entries).—Gelding or mare, not less than 5 years old, to carry 14st, and upwards—1st prize, James Barry, Fermoy—Bay gelding, 6 years; sire, Bendigo; 2nd, Mrs. Sheehan, Mallow—Tommy, brown gelding, aged; sire Munster King; 3rd, Miss Doyle (38), 50, Ballintlea, Clonmel—Sunday's Child, bay gelding, 5 years; sire Shooting Star.

Class 2 (17 entries).—Gelding or Mare, not less than 5 years, to carry from 13st. to 14st.—1st prize, D. Minor, Ballinaclash—Bay gelding, 6 years; sire Munster King; 2nd, Miss Doyle, Little Island, Cork—Make Into It, bay gelding, 5 years; sire Mullingar; 3rd, F. P. Magnier, Fermoy—Beacon Light, chestnut gelding, aged.

Class 3 (20 entries)—Gelding or Mare, not less than 5 years, to carry from 12st. to 13st.—1st prize, Capt. Hall, Ballinamona, Fermoy—Tomatown, Co. Kilkenny—Tea, Two ch. gelding, 5 years; 2nd, D. A. Barry—Mr. Mainwaring, chestnut mare gelding, aged; sire Gamefeather; 3rd, C. W. Ashe, Farran, Co. Cork—Barrack Boy, bay gelding, aged; sire Harry Milton.

Class 4 (11 entries)—Four-year-old Gelding, to carry 12st. 7lb. and upwards—1st prize, James Barry, Fermoy—Tallyho, black chestnut gelding, 4 years; sire Perfection II.; dam, by Connaught (Sold); 2nd, Walter Dwyer, junior, Glanmire—Bay Gelding, unnamed, 4 years; very highly commended, Bay Gelding, unnamed, Optimus, bay gelding, 4 years; sire Gamefeather.

Class 5 (6 entries)—Four-year-old Filly, to carry 12st. 7lb. and upwards—1st prize, Peter Heaps, Ballincurrig—Little Pay, chestnut filly, 4 years; sire Complete, by Perfection; 2nd, E. Riordan, Riddlestown, Cashel—Lady, bay filly, 4 years, sire Fortune Wheel, by Fortunio, dam Avondale.

Class 6 (8 entries)—Brood Mare, with foal at foot or certified as being stinted to thoroughbred stallion, or registered hunter; sire tbred calculated to produce weight-carrying hunters—1st prize, Mrs. Bagwell, Clonmel—Brood Mare, chestnut mare, Barzard, aged, chestnut filly foal by Drinmore; 2nd, John Cogan, Mayville, Tyrrellspass—3rd, Oliway Graham Toler, Durrow Abbey—Brood mare—Bay mare, by Moulins, foal by Flyfisher.

Three-year-old Gelding or Filly, not thoroughbred, calculated to make a hunter—1st prize, P. J. Delaney, Belmont House, Kilbeggan—Gelding; 2nd, Thomas Abraham, Ballymoney House, Geashill—Gelding, Cylinder; 3rd, Arthur Dillon, Gaybrook, Horsehead, Moate—Dark bay filly, Clonkroff.

Two-year-old Gelding or Filly, not thoroughbred, calculated to make a hunter—1st prize, James Barry, Mallow—Ashe's Ben, chestnut gelding, 3 years; sire Ben Alder, dam Rabbitt; 2nd, Mrs. D. Meagher, Charleville—The Princess, brown filly, sire Fitzwilliam, dam Wavy Locks; 3rd, D. Bligh, Midleton—Brown Gelding, sire Reynard, dam Royal Began.

Two-year-old Gelding or Filly—1st prize, J. J. O'Connell, Mallow—Tanking, bay gelding, sire Tarquin, dam Rachcorby; 2nd, J. Kent, Carrigtwohill—Chestnut Gelding, sire Ben Alder, dam Reynard; very highly commended, F. Stack, Templenacarriga—Ben Cockhorse, chestnut gelding, sire Ben Alder, dam Cockhorse.

Yearling Colt, Gelding, or Filly, thoroughbreds or their produce—1st prize, J. Black, Templenacarriga—Benevolence, chestnut colt, sire Ben Alder, dam Cockhorse; 2nd, D. O'Connor, Mallow—Chestnut Gelding, sire Orthoe, dam Ladyshill; very highly commended, Kingston, Carrigaline—Tommy, brown gelding, sire Fortune's Wheel, dam Zulu Chief.

COBS AND PONIES.

Class 13 (15 entries)—Horse, Gelding, or Mare, 14 to 15 hands—1st prize, Mrs. G. Archdeacon, Banteer—Shamrock, Palias Park, Dunlavin; 2nd, Mrs. borough, dam Gortmore's Pride; 2nd, W. O'Grady, Carrigtwohill—Bay mare, 12.2, 7 years.

Munster King, dam Squall; 3rd, P. O'Shea, Killinardrish, County Cork—Tomora, bay gelding, sire Tomora.

Class 13 (9 entries)—Horse, Gelding, or Mare, under 14 hands—1st prize, Master J. Sheehan, Mallow—Little Darling, brown mare, 4 years; 2nd, Justin Ford, Loughboy—Pet, chestnut filly, sire Crown Jewel; 3rd, Miss Mollie, White's Cross—Bay Gelding (unnamed), sire St. Vitus, dam Game-feather.

DRIVING CLASSES.

Class 14 (4 entries)—Pony or Cob, 14.2 to 15 hands, driven to harness—1st prize, M. Cahill, 43, Grattan street, Cork—Paddy, chestnut gelding, sire Sporting Star, dam Molly (3); 2nd, T. Murphy, White's Cross—Chestnut Mare, sire Shooting Star.

Class 15 (5 entries)—Pony or Cob, driven in harness—1st prize, Con Ryan, Douglas Hall, Cork—Molly, grey mare, sire Glenavon.

Class 16 (4 entries)—1st prize, T. Murphy, White's Cross.

EGG-PACKING COMPETITION.

Two Cases of Eggs that had been packed in a shipper's store in the Free State and had been shipped to Great Britain and back—1st prize, Ross Bower Dairy Company 2nd, Irish Butter and Egg Exporters, Ltd.; 3rd, Messrs. Thomas Robinson and Co., Ltd.; 4th, Leinhardstown Agricultural Stores.

Three Eggs—F. Williamson, of Knightsbridge, London, who (assisted by Mrs. Williamson) specialises in agriculture, and Mr. H. W. Stevens) acted as judge, remarked that the general quality of the eggs, uniform packing, and general attractive appearance were so good that the final decision caused the judges considerable difficulty. If eggs of this standard were put on the market by Irish shippers foreign competition need not be feared.

A particularly fine exhibit was a dozen brown hen eggs, for which Miss A. R. Gubbins received the first prize.

BUTTER COMPETITIONS.

In the butter competitions there were numerous interesting entries, the quality in all cases being remarkably high.

For the best 56lb. box containing 3 per cent. salt the first prize was awarded to the Herbertstown Co-operative Agricultural and Dairy Society. The Cappamore Co-operative Society and the Kilkenny Co-operative Creamery won second and third prizes respectively. The Kilkenny Creamery was awarded a gold medal for the best 56lbs. of saltless and salted butter.

FLOWERS AND FRUIT.

There was a really splendid display of flowers, fruits and vegetables in the horticultural section. One exhibit which called forth a great deal of admiration was a collection of twelve distinct kinds of vegetables, for which Mr. John Glen deservedly won the first prize.

There were no less than 127 exhibits in the 30 classes of the poultry section. The birds were all of very high standard.

JUMPING COMPETITIONS.

Novice competitions for horses which had never jumped at the Society's shows or which had never won a jumping prize at any other show—P. Healy's Arbour Hill, 1; Joseph Murphy's brown mare, 2; G. H. Crofts Ballyboidy, 3. Twenty-two others competed.

For all horses except first prize winners at the Munster Agricultural Society's previous shows—L. Callanan's Even Money, 1; F. Canty's Bill, 2; P. Healy's Arbour Hill, 3. Twenty-four others competed.

MUNSTER SHOW.

VERY LARGE ENTRIES.

SEVERAL NEW FEATURES.

FROM OUR REPORTER.

CORK, Tuesday.

Glorious weather conditions favoured the annual Summer Show of the Munster Agricultural Society, which opened at Cork to-day. From every point of view the event is likely to prove a record one. At no time during recent years has there been so many entries in all the competitions, and it seems reasonably certain that, if the good weather continues, a record will be created in gate receipts. Though the most interesting of the competitions will be held during the remaining two days of the show, to-day's attendance of visitors was really remarkable, indicating that a new interest is being aroused in subjects relating to the country's chief industry.

Several new features have been introduced, not the least interesting being the section devoted to industrial exhibits. In former years this section of the show occupied only a small portion of the spacious grounds; this year, however, it has been arranged on a very large scale. Almost every conceivable agricultural implement and invention is included in it, and numerous were the discussions among farmer visitors as to the relative merits of this machine and that, showing again that there is a new and healthy forward-looking in connection with agricultural problems.

The quality in the animals in to-day's events was splendid, particularly that of young hunters. There was a good demand for horses in all the classes; buying was keen and brisk, and many animals changed hands. The educational exhibits in the Industrial Hall, which were arranged by the County Committee of Agriculture and the Department of Agriculture, attracted a good deal of attention, especially the dairy and poultry sections. There was much interest in the egg grading and packing competitions, too.

A little experiment in egg-packing is worth special mention. Several cases of eggs were packed and sent to Fishguard by sea to test the efficiency of the packing. They were returned to the show grounds, and were on view to-day, uninjured and in excellent condition.

Very great credit is due to Mr. John Byrne, the secretary of the Society, and to Captain T. J. Clarke, the energetic President of the Show Committee, and the Committee itself. This year's show marks a distinct advance on previous years, and cannot but have an energising effect on the agriculture industry in Munster generally.

HORSES.

The following were the awards:—

AGRICULTURAL HORSES.

Judge—Capt. McCarthy, Department of

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SALE TUESDAY NEXT, 14TH JULY,
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THE COLTHURST ESTATE, LUCAN, IN SIX LOTS. Lot 6 being the MANSION HOUSE and 46 ACRES OF GROUND. The remaining LANDS will be Sold in convenient-size lots. Printed rentals and particulars now ready.

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CHINA AND GLASS ..... AT 12 O'CLOCK.
FURNITURE ..... AT 1 O'CLOCK.
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